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## FOUR DAYS LATER FROM EUROPE.

**Arrival of the New-York at this Port and the Moravian at Portland.**

**The Rebel Ram Stonewall Ordered To Leave Lisbon.**

**The Niagara and Sacramento Ordered to Remain in Port.**

**They Attempt to Leave and are Fired On--- The Niagara Struck and One Man Killed.**

**Five-Twenties Advanced Three Per Cent.**

**THE DISHONORED REBEL DRAFTS PAID.**

INTERESTING CONTINENTAL NEWS.

The steamship *New-York*, from Southampton on the 30th ult., arrived at this port yesterday afternoon.

The steamship *Moravian*, from Liverpool on the 30th, via Greencastle on the 31st ult., arrived at Portland last evening.

The steamship *City of Limarick*, from Portland, arrived off Liverpool at noon on the 30th ult.

The steamship *City of Baltimore*, from New-York, arrived out on the 29th ult.

The steamship *Belgian*, from Portland, arrived out on the 29th ult.

### AMERICAN TOPICS.

THE REBEL RAM STONEWALL.

MOVEMENTS OF THE NIAGARA AND SACRAMENTO.

The foreign journals have very meagre particulars of the movements of the rebel ram *Stonewall*, and of our vessels, the *Niagara* and *Sacramento*. It seems, however, that the ram escaped from Ferrol and went to Lisbon, whither she was followed by the *Niagara* and *Sacramento*. The rebel ram was ordered out of port, and our vessels, for attempting to leave before the expiration of the twenty-four hours prescribed, were fired upon by the Portuguese forts and a seaman on the *Niagara* was killed. The *Times* of March 29, has the following paragraph:

A letter from Capt. PAGE, dated Lisbon, announces the arrival at that port of the Confederate iron-clad *Stonewall*. On leaving Ferrol the topmasts were struck, and the ship cleared for action. The Captain sent his papers and money on shore for safety. The crew were in high spirits, expecting an engagement, and confident as to its results. The *Sacramento* and the *Niagara*, however, avoided a conflict. The *Stonewall* has twin screws, which, in the event of a fight with these two vessels, will be of immense advantage to her.

The following dispatches tell the rest of the story:

LISBON, Monday, March 26.

The Confederate ram *Stonewall* has arrived here from Ferrol, where she left the Federal war steamers *Niagara* and *Sacramento*, which are reported to have shunned a conflict.

The Portuguese authorities have ordered the *Stonewall* to leave the harbor, and have manned the forts.

The *Sacramento* is hourly expected.

LISBON, Tuesday, March 29.

The Confederate ram *Stonewall* has sailed from this port. The Federal war steamers *Niagara* and *Sacramento* have arrived here. The Portuguese authorities prohibit their sailing for 24 hours.

LISBON, Wednesday, March 29—10:25 A. M.

The Federal frigates *Niagara* and *Sacramento* attempted to sail before the expiration of the time fixed by the Portuguese authorities, and were fired upon by the Belen Fort.

The *Niagara* was struck on the poop and a seaman was killed.

The vessels thereupon anchored.

COMMERCIAL BEARINGS OF THE WAR.

*From the London Times, (City Article,) March 30.*

The American news appears to have had no effect to-day on the Liverpool cotton market. Nothing definite has yet transpired as to the quantity captured at Savannah, and doubts may still be entertained as to the correctness of the early statements with regard to it. So long, however, as there is a possibility of heavy consignments being made to Europe from that source, prices here must continue exceptionally sensitive, and contradiction of the report that the government had ordered its shipment to this side makes little difference, since the buyers at New-York will probably send it on their own account. In other respects there are features in the intelligence brought by the last few mails that might be construed in favor of the stability of prices, since under any circumstances, even supposing an early peace possible, the devastation that is being wrought in the South must greatly retard any general resumption or continuance of the cultivation of the staple. *Assuming that the Confederates still persevere, and by returing to the interior find means to fulfill the belief of President Davis in an indefinite prolongation of the war, the losses among the colored population must further diminish the power of production,* while the recent seizure and confiscation of all that could be found at Savannah, without regard to ownership, loyal or foreign, must not only increase the disinclination to any new efforts in that respect, but promote the readiness of the population to destroy all existing hoards.

The quotation of the premium on gold by the New-York steamer to-day is about the same as that by the previous arrival, but the rate of exchange is 5 per cent. lower, whence it would seem that an increased amount of bills on Europe drawn against cotton or fresh consignments of Federal bonds was pressing upon the market. As the volume of the paper currency had not been reduced, and there were no distinct measures in contemplation for that purpose with any prospect of their being found practicable, the present reaction must be considered purely speculative and temporary. Should the war be brought to a close the amount of long deferred claims on the part of the army and navy contractors of all kinds, as well as the necessity for repairing the havoc of the past four years, will cause demands upon the Treasury that will render a withdrawal of note issues impossible, while in the event of continued war, prosecuted with arms in the interior of the Confederate States, the expenditure will, perhaps, be heavier than at any former time.

The commercial accounts from Bombay by the last mail describe the anxiety with which further news from America was awaited, but allege that the merchants there are for the most part less interested in cotton speculations than has commonly been supposed, the preliminary panic that happened last Autumn having rendered them cautious. The classes most apprehensive of the results of the check to the enormous profits of the past few years are those who are engaged in the share mania. Thus far, however, not only had there been no panic among them, but instances of sustained animation were still being furnished. The day before the departure of the mail some new shares of a concern called the Elphinstone Land and Press Company, for £300,000, were offered to the public, and the whole were taken at an average premium of £226 per £100 share.

THE STOCK OF COTTON.

*From the London Times, March 29.*

The stock of cotton on hand at Liverpool continues to increase. Annexed are the weekly fluctuations this year, as compared with the corresponding periods of 1864 and 1863:

| | 1865. Bales. | 1864. Bales. | 1863. Bales. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Week ending Jan. 7..... | 496,260 | 262,600 | 402,800 |
| Week ending Jan. 14..... | 510,200 | 250,280 | 395,030 |
| Week ending Jan. 21..... | 509,340 | 264,500 | 395,670 |
| Week ending Jan. 28..... | 499,350 | 254,040 | 406,180 |
| Week ending Feb. 4..... | 500,040 | 262,490 | 402,000 |
| Week ending Feb. 11..... | 536,660 | 235,660 | 393,370 |
| Week ending Feb. 18 ... | 550,970 | 246,790 | 415,340 |
| Week ending Feb. 25.... | 577,060 | 231,560 | 412,690 |
| Week ending March 4.. | 589,360 | 241,630 | 468,520 |
| Week ending March 11.. | 588,410 | 256,200 | 407,510 |
| Week ending March 18.. | 572,110 | 260,860 | 378,160 |
| Week ending March 25.. | 603,030 | 307,410 | 395 520 |

The stock thus increased in the first thirteen weeks of this year to the extent of 206,770 bales, and so large a quantity has not been on hand since December, 1861. The average weekly deliveries from Liverpool to the trade to March 25 this year have been 25,110 bales, as compared with 26,040 bales in the corresponding period of 1864, and 17,370 bales in the corresponding period of 1863.

OUR BONDS IN FRANKFORT.

*From the London Times, March 29.*

The advices from Frankfort state that the recent fall in the premium on gold at New-York produced little effect, as it was accompanied by large arrivals of fresh stock, with which the market seems now, for a time at least, to be glutted; so that even the low rate of money, although it enables advances on stock to be obtained at 3½ per cent., cannot attract buyers in large numbers. The quotation, instead of being, as heretofore, considerably above that at New-York, was now 1 per cent. below it; still there is always business of some importance being transacted in American funds, while at present in all other kinds of securities there is general stagnation.

MISCELLANEOUS.

THE REBEL DRAFTS.

The *Times* says a short time since Confederate drafts had been refused payment by FRASER, TRENHOLM & Co., of Liverpool, for want of advice. The requisite funds and instruction have since arrived, and the bills will be paid immediately.

GEN. M'CLELLAN.

The Russian Ambassador at Rome gave a banquet to Gen. MCCLELLAN. Among the toasts proposed was one for the maintenance of friendly relations between Russia and America.

ENGLAND AND CANADA.

*La France*, of Paris, publishes an article signed by Baron DUPUIS, demonstrating that it is greatly to England's advantage to retain Canada.

In the House of Commons, March 27, Lord ELCHO alluded to the debates in the Canadian Parliament, where it has been denied that fifty thousand pounds was all that England would vote for Canada this year. Lord ELCHO would bring the matter forward April 14.

### GENERAL NEWS.

GREAT BRITAIN.

MISCELLANEOUS NEWS.

The affairs of Messrs. SPOONER & ATWOOD'S Bank were discussed in the Birmingham Court of Bankruptcy, and it was determined to wind up the estate by private arrangement.

The armor-plated ram *Agincourt*, 5,060 tons burden, and 1,350-horse power, was successfully launched at Birkenhead, on May 27, in the presence of 30,000 spectators.

Strenuous efforts were making to terminate the difficulties in the iron trade. The masters and men held a conference on the 29th. The masters proposed that the men should resume work at the wages offered, and that the differences should then be left to arbitration. The workmen refused to consent to this, and the meeting proved abortive.

The North Staffordshire men have resolved to sever all connection between their Union and those of North and South Staffordshire. The Northern masters pledged themselves to reopen their mills on March 30.

The Princess of Wales held the first drawing-room of the season on Saturday, March 25. There was a very numerous attendance. The Princess ALICE will represent the Queen on the next occasion.

The *Scorpion* left Holyhead for Plymouth on March 13, and when about 37 miles south of the Smalls, the night being dark, she came into collision with a merchant ship, name unknown. She struck the *Scorpion's* fore-bow and stove it in to the extent of six feet. She was going over ten knots at the time. It is supposed that the merchant vessel is not much injured.

Mr. CYRUS W. FIELD, of New-York, left London for Suez on Saturday, to be present at the opening of the canal through the Isthmus.

CONTINENTAL NEWS.

FRANCE.

The Marquis DE LA VALETTE, Senator, has been appointed Minister of the Interior, in place of M. BOUDET, whose resignation has been accepted.

It was rumored that the Emperor was suffering from indisposition.

On March 29, in the Corps Legislatif, M. KOLB BERNARD defended the Encyclical and its appended syllabus, and the conduct of the Roman Court.

The *Moniteur* publishes an account of atrocities committed by the cavalry under the command of FELIX DIAZ, brother of PORFILIO DIAZ. Gen. BAZAINE, in remitting this account to the French Government, informed them that it was not exaggerated.

On March 29, the Bourse opened firm, but subsequently became flat. Rentes closed at 65.35, or 10c. lower than yesterday.

ITALY.

The majority of the Financial Committee of the Chamber of Deputies have declared in favor of the loan and the other ministerial projects. The only measure rejected by them is the proposed modification of the existing stamp and registration laws.

Gen. MONTEBELLO has sent large reinforcements to operate against the brigands on the Roman frontier. The bands of late have been considerably increased, in consequence of the peasants of the Papal States, in many instances, acting in concert with the brigands.

Documents have been found in the possession of some of the brigands, from which it appears that some understanding exists between the Court of the ex-king of Naples and the chiefs of the brigands.

PRUSSIA.

The Berlin Chamber of Deputies on March 27 adopted the general proposals of the Finance Committee, and also the additional motion brought forward that the government should immediately apply the proposals of the committee to the budget of 1865.

SPAIN.

The *Bolsa* says: "If the Pope should leave Rome, Spain would confer upon him the Balearic Isles."

The *Politica* says: "The Pope would rather inhabit the Montpelier Palace at Seville."

TURKEY.

The Paris *Temps* contains a letter from Constantinople, which states that a serious misunderstanding exists between the Porte and the Marquis DE MOUSTIER, the French Ambassador. The correspondent of the *Temps* asserts that M. MOUSTIER had left Constantinople for Paris, to confer with his government.

A semi-official denial has been given to this assertion that a difference had occurred between M. MOUSTIER and the Porte.

It is also positively stated that he has not left Constantinople.

EGYPT.

Intelligence has been received that the insurgents in Upper Egypt have been defeated.

FROM THE EAST.

CHINA.

A telegram from Shanghai of Feb. 9 says the Taipings still held Cuang-Chow. Their leader has issued an address to the people, ordering them to submit to his authority, and offering them protection. He further proposes to enter into arrangements with the Treaty Powers.

The Mahomedan rebellion in the province of Honan is rapidly progressing.

There is nothing important from Japan.

INDIA.

CALCUTTA, Thursday, March 2.

Shirtings dull and declining.
Exchange on London 2s. 1¼d.
Freights improving.

BOMBAY, Thursday, March 2.

Exchange on London 2s. 0⅝d.
Freights unchanged.

CANTON, Wednesday, Feb. 15.

Gray Shirtings and water twist higher. Tea unchanged; export to date 109,125,000 lbs. Exchange on London 4s. 7⅛d.

SHANGHAI, Thursday, Feb. 9.

Tea dull. Silk, nothing doing. Export 23,625 bales. Freights dull. Exchange on London 6s. 5d.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

The *Times'* City Article, of Tuesday, says:

Consols opened dull at Saturday's prices, and on the receipt of the *Canada's* news, a sudden fall of nearly ¼ per cent. occurred, in consequence of an impression created by the comparatively low quotations of the rate of exchange, as to a revived probability of shipments of sovereigns long required from this side. The general belief, however, is that the movement at New-York was caused mainly by the recent English advices mentioning that gold was expected to be remitted from Liverpool. The principal likelihood of such remittances was founded on the statement that the cotton captured at Savannah was forthwith to be consigned hither, and as the allegation now is that it will be retained in America, there can be no heavy payments to be effected except on account of the continental absorption of Federal bonds, any amounts in connection with which will have to be refunded to us from Germany and Holland.

The discount demand at the Bank continues light, considering that the quarter terminates on Friday next.

In the Stock Exchange there is a fair supply of money at 4 @ 4¼ ₩ cent. Confederate Loan is 2 ₩ cent. lower, closing at 32@35.

United States 5-20s advanced 3; Erie Shares (paid up,) and Pennsylvania Railroad Shares 2½ each; Virginia Sixes 1, and Illinois Central Shares, further, 2½.

The *Times*, City Article of Wednesday, March 29, says:

"There was no further decline to-day in consols, and they closed at 89¼ @¾.

The discount demand continues light, a reduction is expected on Thursday.

Confederate Loan 34 to 35.

French Rentes closed at 67f. 45 centimes.

SAUTERMEWAITE'S circular, dated the evening of the 29th ult., reports a very active market during the week for American securities, considerable purchases being made for American account, especially in Illinois Central Shares, which have advanced from 65 to 67. Eries are freely taken for investment, the low prices inducing purchases. They have improved from 32 to 36. Five-twenties advanced to 69 on Monday, but have since been flatter, owing to supplies being sent forward by Continental holders. They, however, close steady at 68¾. An increasing business is being done in Atlantic and Great Western bonds.

LIVERPOOL COTTON MARKET—MARCH 27 AND 28.

Market dull. Sales for the two days, 5,000 bales; 1,000 on speculation and for export. Prices irregular.

LIVERPOOL CORN MARKET—MARCH 28.

WHEAT in good request at 1d. advance. FLOUR was in better demand. INDIAN CORN 3d. ₩ qr. dearer.

LONDON CORN MARKET—MARCH 28.

An advance of 1s. was occasionally realized.

LONDON COLONIAL MARKET—MARCH 28.

SUGAR unaltered. TEA unchanged. COPPER declined from 1s. to 2s. ₩ cwt. TALLOW steady at 40s. 6d.

COMMERCIAL PER MORAVIAN.

COTTON—The sales for the three days foot up 5,000 bales, the market closing with a decline of ⅛d. @ 1/16d. The sales to speculators and exporters were 2,000 bales.

BREADSTUFFS—Messrs. RICHARDSON, SPENCER & Co., and BIGLAND, AYRTA & Co. report: Flour quiet and steady. Wheat firm at an advance of 1d.; sales of Red Western at 8s. 9d@ 9d. Corn advanced 3d.

PROVISIONS—Messrs. WAKEFIELD, NASH & Co. report: Beef dull. Pork, a downward tendency. Bacon, firm. Lard quiet but firm. Tallow steady. Butter dull.

PRODUCE—Ashes inactive but steady for both Pots and Pearls. Sugar quiet. Coffee quiet but steady. Sperm Oil dull. Resin very dull. Spirits Turpentine quiet at 67s. Petroleum firm.

LONDON MARKETS.

BREADSTUFFS—An upward tendency. Sugar dull, with an upward tendency. Coffee easier. Tea steady. Rice steady. Tallow dull. Spirits Turpentine firm at 67s. 6d. Petroleum firmer; sales of Crude at 2s. 3d. @2s. 3d.

LATEST MARKETS.

*By Telegraph to Greencastle.*

LIVERPOOL, Friday, March 31.

COTTON—The sales for the week foot up 35,000 bales. the market closing with a decline of 1 1/16d. on American for the week, and ⅛d. @1d. on other description. The sales to speculators were 7,500 bales and to exporters 5,500 bales. The following are the quotations: Middling Orleans 15¾d.; Mobile 14½d., and Uplands 13¾d.

The sales to-day add up 12,000 bales, the market closing with a firmer feeling.

TRADE AT MANCHESTER

The advices from Manchester are favorable, and the market for both goods and yarns was better.

BREADSTUFFS dull and easier.

PROVISIONS dull.

LONDON, Friday, March 31.

Consols for money, 89¾ @89⅞.

The Bullion in the Bank of England has increased £50,000.

The Bank of England has reduced its rate of discount to four per cent.

Illinois Central shares, 62½; Erie shares, 36; Five-twenties, 68 @68½.

LATEST BY THE MORAVIAN.

[BY TELEGRAPH TO GREENCASTLE.]

LONDON, Friday, March 31.

The *Times'* "City Article" says that the bank movement yesterday, though fully anticipated, improved the tone of the English funds and the markets generally.

THE AFFAIR AT LISBON.

A Lisbon telegram, dated yesterday, is just received. It says that the Commanders of the Federal steamers *Niagara* and *Sacramento* state they had no intention of sailing when fired on from the Portuguese forts—that they were only shifting their anchorage.

It is rumored that diplomatic notes have been exchanged in regard to the affair.

It is supposed that the *Stonewall* will make for Gibraltar.

The *Index* says that should the Washington Government presume to impose upon Potugal as an inferior power, and endeavor to extort reparation from her in the case of the *Sacramento* and *Niagara*, the great powers will be placed under unavoidable obligations to protect her in the assertion of her rights.

## FROM MOBILE.

**Spanish Fort Cut Off from the Water, and a Battery Established Above—The City and Fort Separated—News from New-Orleans.**

NEW-ORLEANS, Thursday, April 6, } via CAIRO April 12. }

Advices from the army about Mobile are to the 4th inst. They state that water communication between the Spanish fort and Mobile has been cut, and a battery established above the fort.

Rebel communication with Mobile is now entirely suspended.

The siege progresses favorably.

The Louisiana Legislature adjourned to-day.

The Supreme Court of this State organized yesterday.

Senator CHARLES SMITH has been appointed Collector of Internal Revenue, vice WHELPLEY, resigned.

The steamer *Star of the Union* has arrived from New-York.

The steamer *Clinton* has also arrived from BRAZOS with Gen. LAW, WALLACE and staff on board.

Some blockade-runners ran into Galveston on the 1st and 2d insts.

Cotton is lower; sales of middling at 43c.; Superfine Flour is selling at $8 50 ₩ barrel.

FROM NORTH CAROLINA.

**An Expedition Up the Chowan River—Seaboard and Roanoke Railroad Cut—A Fight and Defeat of the Rebels—Our Men Return with Lots of Loot—Weldon Strongly Fortified.**

FORTRESS MONROE, Tuesday, April 11.

An expedition, composed principally of the First New-York Mounted Rifles, left Norfolk on the 1st inst., for reconnoitering purposes up the Chowan River, with the intention, if possible, of reaching Weldon, N. C. The expedition was under the command of Col. GURNEY, of the First Mounted Rifles, and resulted in entire success. The cavalry struck the Seaboard and Roanoke Railroad, and demolished the track for a considerable extent. While thus engaged they were attacked by a force of 600 rebels, and after a severe fight succeeded in repulsing them. The cavalry then fell back to Mufressboro, where the booty was delivered to the gunboats. Among the captures were 100 bales of superior cotton, a large amount of tobacco and snuff, and thirty prisoners. Parties of the cavalry scouted to within a few miles of Weldon, and from the prisoners taken, it was learned that the town was strongly fortified and garrisoned by a force of 1,600 rebels, with several batteries of artillery. The expedition returned last Saturday night. This expedition, said to be the largest sent into northern North Carolina, accomplished a great deal of good in ascertaining the exact locality of the rebel forces in that section of the State.

From Madison, Wis.

MADISON, Wis., Wednesday, April 12.

Gov. LEWIS has appointed Thursday as a day for thanksgiving and rejoicing over our recent victories.

The Legislature adjourned on Monday after a ninety days' session.

From Nashville.

NASHVILLE, Wednesday, April 12.

Another great rise has taken place in the Cumberland. The water is now within five feet as high as it was in March. It is reported to be twenty-five feet deep on the shoals. A heavy rain storm commenced last night and still continues.

## MORE VICTORIES.

**The Rebellion Crumbling to Pieces.**

**Surrender of Lynchburgh, Va., to a Scouting Party.**

**SUCCESS OF THE ALABAMA EXPEDITION**

**CAPTURE OF SELMA BY GEN. WILSON.**

**Forrest and Roddy with their Entire Command Taken Prisoners.**

[OFFICIAL.]

WAR DEPARTMENT, WASHINGTON, D. C., April 12—2:30 P. M.

*Maj.-Gen. Dix, New-York:*

The capture of Selma is reported by Maj.-Gen. GRENVILLE H. THOMAS.

The surrender of Lynchburgh is also officially reported.

EDWIN M. STANTON, Secretary of War.

DESPATCH FROM GEN. THOMAS.

HEADQUARTERS, DEPARTMENT OF THE CUMBERLAND, NASHVILLE, April 11, 1865.

*Maj.-Gen. H. W. Halleck, Chief of Staff:*

I send the following, just received from Huntsville, Alabama, for the information of the Secretary of War. I am inclined to believe it, although I have received no report direct from Gen. WILSON.

GEO. H. THOMAS, Major General.

HUNTSVILLE, ALA., Tuesday, April 11—9 A. M.

*Maj.-Gen. Thomas:*

The following is just received from Col. HOOVER at Somerville. Men directly through from Selma report that place captured by Gen. WILSON'S forces on the 2d inst. FORREST and RODDY, with their entire command, were captured. Our men dismounted and charged the intrenchments and carried all before them. They also report Montgomery captured.

(Signed) R. S. GRANGER.

SECOND DISPATCH.

CITY POINT, VA., Wednesday, April 12, 1865.

*Hon. Edwin M. Stanton, Secretary of War:*

Lynchburgh surrendered yesterday to a lieutenant of GRIFFIN'S forces at the head of a scouting party. Gen. GRANT has ordered MACKENZIES' brigade of cavalry to occupy the town and take care of public property.

C. A. DANA, Assistant Secretary of War.

REPORTS VIA NASHVILLE.

NASHVILLE, TENN., Wednesday, April 12.

A dispatch received here from Col. HORNER, of the Eighteenth Michigan, dated Somerville, Tenn., April 10, says:

Two men who have arrived here and came directly through from Selma, Ala., report that place was captured by Gen. WILSON'S force on the 2d of April, and with it the rebel Gens. FORREST and RODDY, with their entire commands.

Gen. WILSON dismounted his cavalry and charged the rebel intrenchments, and carried everything before him.

The same parties also report that Montgomery, Ala., has been captured.

CONFIRMATION OF THE REPORT.

CAIRO, Wednesday, April 12.

The Vicksburgh *Herald* confirms the capture and burning of Selma, Ala., and says that Gen. FORREST narrowly escaped being captured.

AFFAIRS IN ALBANY.

**The Ninth Election District—The Contested Seat Awarded to Mr. Joseph Shook.**

Special Dispatch to the New-York Times.

ALBANY, Wednesday, April 12.

In the Assembly this evening, after a lengthy speech from Mr. VERNAM, in favor of the sitting member, a vote was taken on the resolutions of the Committee on Privileges and Elections, throwing out the the vote of the Ninth Election District, Albany City, on the ground that the freedom of the election was violated by mob, and awarding the seat to JOSEPH SHOOK, the contestant. Resolutions were adopted, 59 to 38.

Mr. HUNGERFORD addressed the House, declaring that he had been told by certain Republican politicians in Albany that if he would support a measure he never saw, the seat would not be contested; which he declined. He left the seat with no ill-feeling toward any member. Mr. ANGEL said that he was glad to say that though compelled to vote against Mr. HUNGERFORD, because of fraud in the election, he could, as a member of the Committee, bear testimony that none of the evidence implicated HUNGERFORD in transactions, he offered resolutions complimentary to the personal integrity and worth of HUNGERFORD, which were adopted unanimously. The Senate expelled Mr. EVERETT, reporter for the New-York *Daily News*, for eavesdropping during executive session, his crime not being the obtaining information, but being caught at it.

PERSIMMON.

**The Contest on the Metropolitan Health Bill It is Ordered to a Third Reading—The Central Railroad Fare Bill.**

*Correspondence of the New-York Times.*

ALBANY, Wednesday, April 12, 1865.

The Metropolitan Health Bill, substantially as it passed the Senate, was moved forward in the Assembly this morning, was considered in Committee of the Whole, and was ordered to a third reading. It was fought by its opponents during every inch of its progress. Every available or supposable point of order was raised to delay or embarrass action. The House, in Committee of the Whole, ordered the bill to be read through. Mr. CRAMER was confident that he had found a point in the rules of the House that would enable him to prevent this being done, by objecting. The Chair (Mr. FIFE of Orleans) did not agree with Mr. CRAMER and overruled the point made, and the reading was proceeded with. Mr. WEAVER of Oneida then discovered that in the resolution ordering the bill forward, it was described as a Senate bill, while the bill before the committee had an Assembly heading. He took the ground, therefore, that the bill under consideration was not the bill described in the resolution, and was not, therefore, properly before the House. The Clerk explained that the Senate bill had been reprinted by order of the Assembly, and that several amendments recommended by the Assembly Committee on Public Health had been incorporated in it. Mr. WEAVER still insisted upon his point of order with a good deal of pertinacity. The chair decided that the point or order was not well taken, and the reading was again proceeded with. Various interruptions of this kind made the reading of the bill rather slow work. Mr. VAN BUREN, therefore, to expedite matters, moved not to read the remainder of the bill, but to report progress, and stated that he did this with a view of moving to order the bill to a third reading in the House when the Speaker should have resumed the chair.

Here was another opportunity to get up a point of order. Several members, including J. L. SMITH, of New-York, and Mr. CUTTING, of Erie, were very sure, that after the order had been made to read the bill through, it must be done, and there could be no escape. The chair decided that the same authority that made the order could modify or change. Mr. CUTTING proposed to appeal from this decision, but Messrs. BRANDRETH, VAN BUREN, and others insisted that in Committee of the Whole there could be no appeal. So, amid a good deal of confusion, the opponents of the bill rising to a great many points of order without any point in them, the vote was taken and carried to report progress on the bill. The Speaker resumed the chair, and progress was reported. Then Mr. VAN BUREN made the motion to order the bill to a third reading, and moved the previous question. It was apparent that the motion would carry, but the filibustering war deemed a part of the programme requisite to be kept up notwithstanding. Members called out, "Mr. Speaker!" Mr. Speaker!" in such numbers and with such determination that it was not until after a good deal of hammering and calling to order, that the presiding officer could get an opportunity to state the question before the House. When he had done so, Mr. SALMON, of New-York, again tried to make the point that the bill before the House was not the one described in the resolution moving the Health Bill forward. The Speaker regarded the point of order as not well taken. Mr. LYONS, of New-York, made several points, or tried to, and, among others, that the Speaker did not recognize him as readily as he did other members. This was got along with after a while, and business was proceeded with. The previous question was ordered—60 to 52—and then the bill was ordered to a third reading by a vote of 60 to 49.

The bill proposing to allow the Central Railroad to collect a fare of two and a half cents per mile was discussed in the Senate, to-day, by Senator MUNGER. He spoke in favor of the bill, and at length. The bill was again made special order for to-morrow. The amendment, proposed to be made to this bill yesterday by Senator FOLGER, to include the Hudson River Road in its provisions, was acted upon to-day and was voted down.

STATE LEGISLATURE.

SENATE.

ALBANY, Wednesday, April 12.

BILLS ORDERED TO A THIRD READING.

Amending the charter of Yonkers.

Incorporating the New-York and Brooklyn Disinfecting Company.

Incorporating the New-York and Bayside Ferry Company.

Relative to the proceedings of the Board of Commissioners of Pilots.

BILLS PASSED.

Authorizing the City of Utica to borrow money.

Reappropriating certain moneys for canal awards, and for building weigh locks at Oswego for rebuilding the dams on the Oswego River.

Authorizing the consolidation of railroads in Brooklyn.

The Rochester Armory Bill.

For a survey of the Hudson River from Waterford to Fort Edward.

Incorporating the New-York and Brooklyn Petroleum Floating Storage Company.

Relative to Savings Banks in New-York. Recommitted.

The consideration of the "Central Railroad two and a half cents per mile Way-fare Bill" was resumed at 1 o'clock.

Mr. FOLGER'S amendment to remove the restriction as to the fare now imposed upon the Hudson River Railroad Company was lost—14 to 14.

Mr. MUNGER spoke at length in support of the bill. He quoted figures showing that the earnings of the road have not averaged as much during the four years of the war as during the previous four years, and that, because of this fact, its appointments, rolling stock and rails have depreciated. He argued that so long as the fare is restricted to two cents per mile, its largely-increased expenses, of most of them, must be made up by its freight traffic. That this is now the case, and the producer, the shipper and the consumer have to make up all that is lost upon the traveler. He denied that the Central Railroad Corporation had interfered in the politics of the State or of the country, and deprecated the introduction of politics into the discussion of this bill. It is a question involving great interests, and should be treated as such, and not as a party matter. He denied the correctness of the assertion that its passage would do harm to the Republican party.

After concluding his remarks, Mr. HASTINGS moved to report progress. Carried 16 to 15, Mr. MUNGER not voting.

Mr. CHRISTIE moved to make the bill the special order for 11 o'clock to-morrow morning. Carried.

The President stated that, during the executive session of the Senate, a correspondent of a New-York paper, Mr. EVERETT, had been detected in one of the upper committee rooms, listening at an aperture that led into the Senate Chamber to the proceedings of the Senate in executive session.

On motion, Messrs. SHAFER, HOBBY and ANDREWS were appointed a committee to investigate the matter. Recess.

ASSEMBLY.

ALBANY, Wednesday, April 12.

REPORTS.

To incorporate the New-York Pier and Warehouse Company.

To incorporate the North American and Italian Steamship Company.

To authorize the Second-avenue Railroad Company to construct new tracks.

To authorize the New-York and Westchester Railroad Company to fix and limit its capital stock, and allow the use of dummy engines in Westchester County.

To incorporate the National Turkish Bath Company.

To improve Seventh-street in Brooklyn.

To incorporate the New-York and Point Isabel Navigation, Land and Emigration Company.

To amend the Quarantine Act.

To amend the charter of Troy.

To incorporate the Students' Aid Society of New-York Free Academy.

To authorize the Board of Supervisors of New-York to raise money by tax to provide for the payment of certain extraordinary expenses of the City of Brooklyn.

To construct enlarged locks on the Oswego and Erie Canals; to ratify the Constitutional Amendment abolishing slavery.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

To suspend the rules so as to put forward the Metropolitan Health Bill. Carried.

Also, relative to the Capitol Police Bill. Carried.

Instructing the committee to incorporate the Cornell University to-morrow morning. Carried.

The Quarantine Bill was made the special order for Wednesday next.

The Metropolitan Health Bill was considered in Committee of the Whole. Before the bill had been read through Mr. VAN BUREN moved to report progress. Carried.

Mr. VAN BUREN moved to order the bill to a third reading. Carried, 66 to 49.

**The New-York Fire Commissioners Unconfirmed.**

ALBANY, Wednesday, April 12.

It is understood that the New-York Fire Commissioners were not confirmed to-day, and there are rumors that charges are to be preferred against one of them. Another Executive session will be held on Friday.

FROM CALIFORNIA.

**The Cession of Mexican Provinces to Napoleon—A Copy of the Deed of Cession Said to Have Been Received by the French Commander at Manzilan.**

SAN FRANCISCO, Monday, April 10.

The steamer *Sierra Nevada*, from Portland, Oregon, on Saturday night, brought $110,000 in gold.

The news of the surrender of LEE creates the most intense joy and excitement in California and Nevada.

A fleet of twenty vessels from South American and European ports has arrived in the last twent-four hours.

Arrived, on the evening of the 8th, ships *Cyclone* and *Hornet*, from New-York.

The *Democratic Press*, of this city, says it learns, by private letters from Manzilan, that the French Commander at that place has received a copy of the deed of cession from MAXIMILIAN to NAPOLEON, in which GWIN is named as trustee, and that it includes Sonora, Sinoloa, Durango, and Chihuahua. GWIN has returned to Paris, but on no business relative to any change of the arrangement, and is expected in Sonora early in June, with sufficient force to pacificate that country.

## GRANT AND LEE.

**Their Anticipated Arrival at City Point.**

**Gen. Lee Wants to Go to Europe With His Family.**

**ALL QUIET AT RICHMOND.**

Special Dispatch to the New-York Times.

CITY POINT, Va., Tuesday, April 11—10 A. M. WASHINGTON, Wednesday, April 12.

I arrived here from Richmond this morning, in order to witness the arrival here of Gen. GRANT and staff, who will bring with them Gen. LEE and staff, and are expected this afternoon. A special train left here at midnight last evening for Burkesville to bring them in. Gen. LEE will proceed to Richmond from this point, and I am informed on good authority that he has expressed a desire to depart for Europe with the rest of his family at an early day. He is much affected by late events, and are leaving Petersburgh, is said to have been deeply moved at the calamity which had overtaken his army. DAVIS has deserted him and is retreating on his own account. Gen. LEE, however, fought as long as there was the least chance, and surrendered only when he could do nothing else.

All is quiet at Richmond. The city is very full of visitors, and presents a lively appearance. The Secessionists admit, without qualification, that they are now completely subjugated, and are already setting to work to let themselves down as gracefully as possible, and to escape, so far as they can, the consequences of their crime. L. L. CROUNSE.

**Rumor About Gen. Lee—He is to Visit this City.**

*From the Commercial of Yesterday.*

Rooms have been engaged at one of our fashionable hotels for Gen. ROBERT E. LEE, late in command of the rebel army in Northern Virginia. The General is expected to arrive either to-day or to-morrow. His visit will be of a strictly private character.

Fort Sumter Anniversary.

CELEBRATION AT THE ACADEMY OF MUSIC.

The anniversary of the attack on Fort Sumter was celebrated last evening by an oratorical and musical entertainment at the Academy of Music, in Fourteenth-street. About five hundred persons were present. After the performance of "William Tell," some selections from "Ernani" and "La Forza del Destino," by Gratulla's Band, Maj.-Gen. JOHN G. PECK made the opening address, in which he referred to the events preceding the attack on Fort Sumter, the defence made by its brave garrison, under the gallant ANDERSON, and the proposed restoration of the old flag to the battered walls of the fort on Friday next. He concluded with an appeal in behalf of the orphans of those who have fallen on the field of battle in defending the country's flag.

A prayer was then offered by Rev. Mr. MITCHELL, after which the band gave "Anderson's March to Sumter."

Hon. CHAUNCEY SHAFFER was then introduced, who delivered a long oration on the "Past, Present and Future of our Country," in which he traced our history from the settlement of the country by our Dutch ancestors up to the breaking out of the rebellion; reviewed the alleged grievances of the Southern people, which he showed to be groundless, and were pretexts for commencing an unholy and devastating war, which they were blind enough to suppose would end in the establishment of Southern independence. In conclusion the orator drew a glowing picture of the destiny of our country and the preeminence it was destined to occupy among the nations. Mr. SHAFFER was frequently interrupted by applause.

Mr. ROBERT D. HOLMES read an original poem entitled the "Flag of Sumter," and the audience were then dismissed with the benediction.

The proceeds of the entertainment are to be devoted to the aid of the orphans of our volunteers.

Billiards.

M. CARME'S SECOND EXHIBITION.

Notwithstanding the rain, over one thousand persons were present at M. CARME'S *seance*, at the Cooper Institute last evening, and as on the first appearance, many ladies graced the occasion. The exhibition commenced with 100 points, three-ball French game, between M. CARME and Mr. GOLDSMAITE. The latter was in most excellent play; made one run of 37, and one or two other runs in the "teens;" he was successful in winning the game with 41 points to spare. M. CARME then exhibited the *masse*, and other difficult shots, making many of them at the first trial; but owing to having broken his favorite cue, in his afternoon's practice, *all* were not as successful as on the previous evening. It was, however, a brilliant exposition, and at intervals drew forth rapturous applause. The performance closed with 150 points up, four-ball American, between M. CARME and Mr. PERRAN, which the former ran out in four innings, scarcely giving the latter a shot.

The *seance* gave universal satisfaction, and no doubt M. CARME will be greeted with prosperity during the provincial tour he is about commencing. We understand he will give an exhibition at Burnstead Hall, in Boston, on the evening of Tuesday next.

Naval Intelligence.

The steamers *Pensacola* and *Calypso* have anchored in Quarantine, and will proceed South the first suitable opportunity. The former will be towed to Baltimore by the latter to receive her machinery.

The following are the officers of the *Pensacola*: Volunteer Lieutenant-Commander EATON, commanding; Acting Ensign Kelly, Master; Coast Pilot, H. Sherwood.

The *Calypso's* officers are: Lieut. L. N. STODDER, commanding; Lieut. S. D. WHITTEMORE, Executive Officer; Acting Ensigns, H. J. Dunn, W. R. Howes, C. W. Cassidy, W. H. Fogg; Master's Mates, Alger and Burdsel; Engineer, F. B. Hamers, in charge; Second Assistant Engineers, Mervin and Brown; Third Assistant Engineers, Smith and Gilbert; Paymaster, Bartlinol.

NAVY-YARD STRIKE—ORDER OF THE NAVY DEPARTMENT.

A special order of the Navy Department was received in the early part of this week at the Brooklyn Navy-yard to take off 50 cents

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## AUCTION SALES.

EDWARD SCHENCK, Auctioneer.

**LARGE AND ATTRACTIVE SALE**
OF 5,000 CHOICE SELECTED ROSES, TREE PEONIES, GRAPE VINES, SHRUBS, &C.,
by EDWARD SCHENCK, on FRIDAY, 14th inst., at 10¾ o'clock, and each succeeding day till the whole is disposed of at his salesroom, No. 60 Liberty-st.

FIVE THOUSAND CHOICE SELECTED ROSES, VIZ.: Moss, Running and Perpetual; choice specimens of Tree Peonies, flowering shrubs in great variety, &c., being the entire stock of
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UNITED STATES STEAMER NIPHON
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MONDAY, APRIL 17, at 12 o'clock, at the Navy-yard, Charlestown, Mass., the United States steam propeller NIPHON, built in 1863, hull and machinery in good condition.

The following equipments only included, viz.:
Two anchors, two chains and one spare propeller.
Terms, cash, to be paid to the Paymaster of the Navy-yard, Boston, upon delivery of the vessel. By order.
E. L. NORTON, Navy Agent, Boston.
H. H. HANSEN & Co., Auctioneers.

HENRY D. MINER, Auctioneer—Salesroom, No. 37 Nassau-st., opposite the Post-office.
SALE OF ELEGANT HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE MADE TO ORDER BY ROOT, PIERCE & CO., MIRRORS, OIL PAINTINGS, FINE BRONZES, &c., &c.—MINER & SOMERVILLE will sell at auction on THURSDAY, April 13, at 10¾ o'clock, at the private residence, No. 165 East 16th-st., opposite Stuyvesant-square, elegant household furniture, paintings, &c., the property of a gentleman declining housekeeping, as follows:
PARLORS—Turkish velvet carpets, magenta and green draped silk reps and lace curtains, black-walnut French plate mantel mirrors, do. cornices, elegant bronze chandeliers, suite in magenta and green figured reps, marqueterie inlaid cabinet and tables, rosewood étagères, carved black-walnut book-case and table, rich bronze and ormolu clock and candelabras, two fine bronze figures, satin wrink black-walnut and bronze pedestals, vases and bronze statuette, &c. OIL PAINTING—JUDITH, by Ittner, in large, elaborately carved black-walnut frame, the finest specimen of this master in the country. Also, check-d'œuvres by Carl Hubner, Henriette Renner, Schultze, Haseltine, Lemmens, E. Saintin and others. Fine line engravings, marble medallion of Spring, by Piccirini, and other objects of art.
BEDROOMS—Brussels and three-ply carpets, blue and crimson lace curtains; richly carved black walnut and ebony suite, enameled do., black walnut and ebony and gilt shaving stands, curled hair and spring mattresses, bolsters and pillows, French china and bronze vases, toilet ware, &c., &c.
DINING-ROOM.—Brussels carpet, black walnut extension table, black walnut suite, in green reps; do. chiffonier, sideboard, hall French plate mirror, do. green leaf desert set, cut glass, silver plated ware, &c.
RECEPTION-ROOM.—Brussels carpet, elegant satin-wood and ebony suite, in green silk reps; curtains to match; black walnuts and ebony card table, fine engravings, &c.
HALL.—Oilcloths, Brussels stair carpet, black walnut marble-top table, chandelier, &c.
The above will be on exhibition with catalogues, on WEDNESDAY, 12th inst., from 11 to 5 o'clock. Cards of admission can be had at our offices, No. 37 Nassau-st. House at private sale.

HENRY H. LEEDS, Auctioneer.
H. H. LEEDS AND MINER WILL SELL by auction on THURSDAY, April 13, at 10¾ o'clock, at No. 111 East 30th-st., near 3d-av. HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, consisting of Brussels and ingrain carpets, rosewood suits in green reps, rosewood centre tables with marble tops, rosewood étagères, fine mirrors, superb piano made by Steinway, black walnut extension dining tables, black walnut extension sideboards, mahogany secretary bookcase, black walnut cane seated chairs, plated ware, china, crockery, and glassware, &c., mahogany sofas, rockers and arm chairs in hair cloth, mahogany bedsteads, bureaus, washstands, side tables, black walnut and wire sofa in green reps, hair mattresses, feather beds, bolsters and pillows.
Also, an assortment of kitchen furniture in which the sale will commence.

By T. R. MINTURN, Auctioneer.
THIS DAY, THURSDAY, APRIL 13, AT 12 o'clock, on Pier No. 1, East River,
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## MEDICAL.

THOUSANDS ARE TIMELY SAVED BY Dr. WARD'S skilful and improved treatment. Private diseases cured in the shortest possible time by Dr. WARD & CO., No. 61 Franklin-st., near Broadway, without the use of mercury, loss of time or change of diet. Dr. WARD, from the hospitals of London, Paris and Edinburgh, is the discoverer of the only certain and reliable remedies for diseases of a private character. In 26 years' practice he has cured more cases of Secret Diseases and Young Treatment than all others combined. I can and will cure you in less time and at less expense than any other can or will, and those who have been robbed of their money and health, call; it will take but little money and time to restore you. If you have been unfortunate, call at once. By his special experience in this much neglected branch of medical science, he guarantees a cure in the most complicated cases. Recent cases of Gonorrhœa or Syphilis cured in a few days, without change of diet or hindrance from business. Secondary Syphilis—the last vestige eradicated without the use of Mercury. Involuntary emissions stopped in a short time. Sufferers from impotency, or loss of sexual power, restored to full vigor in a few weeks, permanently and speedily cured by a new treatment. Persons at a distance failing to receive prompt treatment elsewhere, may get a permanent cure effected by writing a full diagnosis of their case, addressed to Dr. WARD, No. 61 Franklin-st. Call, send, or write.

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**ELEGANT HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE,**
SUPERB OIL PAINTINGS,
**ELEGANT SPAN OF HORSES, COUPE AND HARNESS.**
At the residence of Lawrence Myers, Esq.
By EDWARD SCHENCK, on THIS DAY, 13th inst., at 10¾ o'clock, at No. 24 West 45th-st., between Greene and Mercer sts., all the elegant furniture contained in the house, consisting in part of velvet, Brussels and ingrain carpets, elegant rosewood piano-forte, rosewood and walnut parlor suites, in brocatel, and reps; French plate pier and mantel mirrors, centre tables, étageres, brocatel and lace curtains, walnut and mahogany chamber furniture, dining-room furniture, china, glassware, &c.; also, the kitchen utensils, with which the sale will commence.
ALSO,
The collection of elegant paintings, purchased in Europe by the owner.
ALSO,
An elegant span of black horses, coupé, built by Brewster, nearly new; elegant double harness, blankets, whip, &c.
The above can be seen by permits from the auctioneers. Office No. 60 Liberty-st.

DANIEL A. MATHEWS, Auctioneer.
**ELEGANT HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, PAINTINGS, &c.**
THIS MORNING, at 10¾ o'clock, all the furniture contained in the house No. 46 Taylor-st., Brooklyn, L. D., including fashionable styles parlor furniture, en suite, in rosewood and walnut, with crimson silk and green worsted reps coverings, rosewood étageres, centre tables, ingrain, Brussels, tapestry and ingrain carpets and oil-cloths, damask and lace window curtains, mantel and pier mirrors, a few fine oil-paintings and framed engravings, superior carved rosewood chamber suite, the same in walnut and enameled; pure curled hair mattresses, spring beds, &c.; bookcase, fine rosewood office desk, extension table, Singer's sewing-machine, platform scales, clocks, china, enamel, ornaments, rockers, chairs, window shades, &c., all of best manufacture and in excellent condition. Also, the kitchen furniture and utensils, glass, crockery, &c. Catalogues at the sale. Greenpoint and Myrtle-av. cars, from Fulton ferry, stopping at Taylor-st., are within one block of the premises.

MORRIS WILKINS, Auctioneer.
**GENTEEL HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE AT AUCTION.**
E. H. LUDLOW & CO. will sell on THURSDAY, April 13, 1865, at 11 o'clock, at No. 69 Hammond-st., near Bleecker-st., all the furniture in said house, viz.: Carved rosewood parlor suits in hair-cloth, etagere with mirrors, centre and fancy tables, easy chairs, extension table, dining chairs, bookcases, sofa bedstead, French bedsteads, dressing bureaus, washstands, lace curtains, oil paintings, spring beds, mattresses, mirrors, Brussels carpets, oil-cloths, kitchen utensils, &c.
Catalogues at the office, No. 3 Pine-st.
Also, at No. 67 Hammond-st.—1 pair pier glasses, cornices, and console table.

GEORGE COEX, Auctioneer—Office No. 92 Liberty-st.
**ELEGANT HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, PIANO-FORTES, &c.**
On SATURDAY, April 15, at 10¾ o'clock, at No. 6 Barclay-st., next the Astor House and convenient to the terminus of the city railroads, a large stock of first-class style made furniture, including superb rosewood and black walnut parlor suites in brocatel, tapestry, reps, &c.; rosewood wardrobes, mirror fronts; ladies' secretaries, library and secretary bookcases, étageres, buffets, hall-stands, extension dining tables, lounges, easy chairs, centre-tables, work-tables, &c. Catalogues at sale.
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HENRY D. MINER, Auctioneer—Salesroom, No. 37 Nassau-st., opposite the Post-office.
SALE OF ELEGANT HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE MADE TO ORDER BY ROOT, PIERCE & CO., MIRRORS, OIL PAINTINGS, FINE BRONZES, &c.—MINER & SOMERVILLE will sell at auction on THURSDAY, April 13, at 10¾ o'clock, at the private residence, No. 165 East 16th-st., opposite Stuyvesant-square, elegant household furniture, paintings, &c., the property of a gentleman declining housekeeping, as follows:
PARLORS—Turkish velvet carpets, magenta and green draped silk reps and lace curtains, black-walnut French plate mantel mirrors, do. cornices, elegant bronze chandeliers, suite in magenta and green figured reps, marqueterie inlaid cabinet and tables, rosewood étageres, carved black-walnut book-case and table, rich bronze and ormolu clock and candelabras, two fine bronze figures, satin wrink black-walnut and bronze pedestals, vases and bronze statuette, &c. OIL PAINTING—JUDITH, by Ittner, in large, elaborately carved black-walnut frame, the finest specimen of this master in the country. Also, check-d'œuvres by Carl Hubner, Henriette Renner, Schultze, Haseltine, Lemmens, E. Saintin and others. Fine line engravings, marble medallion of Spring, by Piccirini, and other objects of art.
BEDROOMS—Brussels and three-ply carpets, blue and crimson lace curtains; richly carved black walnut and ebony suite, enameled do., black walnut and ebony and gilt shaving stands, curled hair and spring mattresses, bolsters and pillows, French china and bronze vases, toilet ware, &c., &c.
DINING-ROOM.—Brussels carpet, black walnut extension table, black walnut suite, in green reps; do. chiffonier, sideboard, hall French plate mirror, do. green leaf desert set, cut glass, silver plated ware, &c.
RECEPTION-ROOM.—Brussels carpet, elegant satin-wood and ebony suite, in green silk reps; curtains to match; black walnuts and ebony card table, fine engravings, &c.
HALL.—Oilcloths, Brussels stair carpet, black walnut marble-top table, chandelier, &c.
The above will be on exhibition with catalogues, on WEDNESDAY, 12th inst., from 11 to 5 o'clock. Cards of admission can be had at our offices, No. 37 Nassau-st. House at private sale.

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THIS DAY, THURSDAY, APRIL 13, AT 12 o'clock, on Pier No. 1, East River,
FRESH SORRENTO ORANGES AND LEMONS.
3,858 boxes fresh Sorrento Oranges.
364 boxes fresh Sorrento Lemons.
Cargo of brig *Saffo*, from Naples.

## PROPOSALS.

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DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION, No. 1 Bond-st., NEW-YORK, April 7, 1865.
TO BUILDERS.—Sealed proposals will be received at the office of the Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction, No. 1 Bond-st., until the 15th day of April, at 2 o'clock P. M., for the construction of the buildings for medical and surgical guiding or relief at Bellevue Hospital, foot of 26th-st., East River. The plans and specifications may be seen at the office of Renwick & Sands, architects, No. 68 Wall-st., from 9 A. M. to 5 P. M. daily.
S. DRAPER,
ISAAC BELL,
JAMES B. NICHOLSON,
MOSES H. GRINNELL,
Commissioners.

OFFICE OF ARMY CLOTHING AND EQUIPAGE, No. 502 BROADWAY, NEW-YORK, April 12, 1865.
SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED at this office until WEDNESDAY, the 19th inst., at 12 o'clock M., for BALING BLANKETS, from the 1st day of May next, to the 1st day of November next, the contractor to furnish all materials necessary to bale the blankets in a satisfactory manner to this department.
The services to be performed in the buildings of the depot, the contractor to supply the machinery. Bidders will state the number of bales they can put up per week.
Bids will be received at the same time for COOPERING PACKING BOXES at this depot, from May to November next, the contractor to furnish hoops, nails, &c., and be prepared to cooper any and all boxes at the shortest notice.
Bidders will state the number of boxes that can be coopered per day, and at what price per box.
Proposals should be accompanied by a proper guarantee, signed by two responsible persons, stating that if a contract is awarded to the bidder they will enter into bonds for the faithful performance of the work.
Further information can be obtained at this office. The United States reserves the right to reject all bids deemed objectionable.
Proposals should be indorsed "Proposals for Baling Blankets" or "Proposals for Coopering," and addressed to
Brev. Brig.-Gen. D. H. VINTON,
Dep. Quartermaster-General, U. S. A.

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STATE OF NEW-YORK, MUSTERING DIVISION, HEADQUARTERS OF THE ACTING ASSISTANT PROVOST-MARSHAL-GENERAL AND SUPERINTENDENT OF VOLUNTEER RECRUITING, ALBANY, N. Y., April 11, 1865.
SEALED PROPOSALS IN DUPLICATE will be received at this office until 12 o'clock M. of MONDAY, April 24, 1865, for furnishing the Acting Assistant Provost-Marshal-General and Superintendent of Volunteer Recruiting Service of the Northern Division of the State of New-York with the following, or such other quantities of STATIONERY as he may require from May 1, 1865, to October 31, 1865:
50 reams Foolscap, ruled or plain, weighing 24 lbs.
1 ream Folio Post, ruled or plain.
100 reams Quarto Post, ruled or plain, weighing 10 lbs., headed as per pattern.
10 reams Note Paper, ruled or plain, headed as per pattern.
1 ream Blotting Paper, white, weighing 36 lbs.
5 reams Envelope Paper, buff or yellow, royal.
3 reams Manilla Wrapping Paper, super royal.
70,000 Envelopes, official size, extra heavy, headed as per pattern.
5,000 Envelopes, letter size, extra heavy, headed as per pattern.
50 gross Metallic Pens.
1,500 Quills, No. 90.
24 dozen Faber's Black Lead Pencils.
12 dozen Faber's Blue and Carmine Pencils.
24 dozen Penholders.
3 dozen Paper Folders (tin.)
3 dozen screws, type-writer handles.
3 dozen Arnold's Copying Ink, quarts.
9 dozen French Carmine Ink, 2 oz.
3 dozen Inkstands, Draper & Whitney's, or equal.
25 pounds Sealing Wax, Scarlet.
2 pounds India Rubber, prepared in pieces.
50 spools, 300 yards each, Red Tape.
3 dozen jars Mucilage and Brushes.
6 dozen Blank Books.
100 dozen Cards (drafting).
5 dozen Pen Racks.
5 dozen Rulers.
900 dozen India Rubber Bands,
1 dozen Shears, Rogers'.
1 dozen Paper Weights.
1 dozen Eyelet Machines or Punches.
3 dozen boxes Eyelets.
3 dozen Letter Clips.
Each bid must be guaranteed by two responsible persons, whose signatures must be appended to the guarantee and certified to as being good and sufficient security for the amount involved by a District Judge or Attorney of the United States.
Bidders will be required to give bonds in the sum of four thousand dollars for the faithful performance of the contract.
The contractor will be required to deliver the Stationery at such times and in such quantities, packed, as the Acting Assistant Provost-Marshal-General and Superintendent of the Volunteer Recruiting Service may direct.
In case of the failure on the part of the contractor to furnish the stationery as agreed, the right is reserved for the Acting Assis ant Provost-Marshal-General and Superintendent of the Volunteer Recruiting Service, or his successor in office, to cause such stationery to be furnished by any other person, as nearly as practicable of the quality contracted for, and the contractor will be held liable for all damages or loss sustained by the United States in consequence of such failure.
Samples of the articles will be shown, and all proposals should be made out on the regular blank forms, which will be furnished upon application at this office.
Persons who may put in bids will strictly conform to the terms of this advertisement, a copy of which should accompany each proposal.
The right is reserved to reject any bid deemed unreasonable, and no bid from a defaulting contractor will be received.
Payment will be made as soon as the account can be properly examined and the requisite funds drawn from the treasury.
Bids will be opened on Monday, April 24, at 12 o'clock, M., and bidders are requested to be present.
Indorse envelope "Proposal for Stationery," and address FRED'K TOWNSEND, Brv't.-Col. U. S. A.,
A. A. P. M. Gen., and Sup't Vol. Rec'g.

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TO CONTRACTORS.—Separate sealed proposals, each indorsed with the title of work for which it may be offered, the name of the bidder, and the date of its presentation, will be received at this office until 10 o'clock of Thursday, April 13, for the construction of the following street improvements, viz.: Sewer in Forty-third-street, between Lexington and Fourth avenues; sewer in Forty-sixth-street, from Eleventh-avenue to seventy-five feet west of Tenth-avenue; sewer in Fifty-second-street, between Sixth and Seventh avenues; sewer in One Hundred and Twenty fifth-street, from Fifth avenue to and through Manhattan-street to Tenth-avenue. Cross-walk from southeast corner of Fifty-ninth-street and Broadway to the junction of Broadway and Eighth-avenue; and cobble-stone paving of Hammond-street, from West-street to Thirteenth-avenue.
Specifications and forms for bids can be obtained on application to the Consent Clerk at this office.
THOMAS STEPHENS,
ROBERT L. DARRAGH,
A. W. CRAVEN,
Croton Aqueduct Department.
OFFICE CROTON AQUEDUCT DEPARTMENT, April 1, 1865.

OFFICE A. A. PROVOST-MARSHAL-GENERAL AND SUPERINTENDENT VOLUNTEER RECRUITING SERVICE, SOUTHERN DIVISION OF NEW-YORK, NEW-YORK, April 11, 1865.
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RICHARD J. DODGE,
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NIBLO'S—OTHELLO.

IRVING HALL—CONCERT.

COOPER INSTITUTE—CONCERT.

## NEWS OF THE DAY.

### THE REBELLION.

Dispatches from the War Department announce the occupation of Lynchburgh by a scouting party from GRANT'S army. No resistance was made. A brigade of cavalry has been sent there to hold the place and protect property.

Gen. GRANGER telegraphs from Nashville a report, which he is inclined to believe true, that our forces under Gen. WILSON captured Selma, Alabama on the 2d inst., and that FORREST and RODDY with their commands were taken. WILSON'S cavalry dismounted, charged the rebel breastworks, and swept everything before them. The men who bring this report say also that Montgomery has been captured.

An expedition of the First New-York Mounted Rifles recently started from Norfolk on a raid toward Weldon. They broke up the Seaboard and Roanoke Railroad, defeated a body of 600 rebels, and gathered 30 prisoners and a large supply of plunder, which was handed over to the gunboats. They report Weldon very strongly fortified.

Gen. GRANT and staff, accompanied by Gen. LEE and staff, were expected to arrive at City Point on Tuesday afternoon It was reported yesterday that rooms had been taken for Gen. LEE at a leading New-York hotel.

The War Department has received 131 bags of rebel mail matter from Petersburgh and Richmond. Nearly all the bags and locks were those stolen from the government four years ago.

The *Navy Register*, about to be issued, shows a total of 583 vessels, of which 64 are iron-clads. Sixty vessels were added in 1864, and 14 were destroyed or captured during the year.

Advices from Goldsboro state that on the 10th JOHNSTON'S army was fifteen miles north of that place.

The President issues a supplemental proclamation excepting Key West from the operation of his order closing certain ports.

### STATE LEGISLATURE.

In the Senate, yesterday, bills were ordered to a third reading, incorporating the New-York and Brooklyn Disinfecting Company; incorporating the New-York and Bayside Ferry Company. Bills were passed reappropriating certain moneys for canal awards, and for building weigh locks at Oswego, and rebuilding the dams on the Oswego River; authorizing the consolidation of railroads in Brooklyn; incorporating the New-York and Brooklyn Petroleum Floating Storage Company. The Central Railroad Fare Bill was considered, and without vote was made the special order for Thursday morning.

In Assembly, reports were made on the bills to incorporate the New-York Pier and Warehouse Company; to authorize the Second-avenue Railroad Company to construct new tracks; to authorize the New-York and Westchester Railroad Company to fix and limit its capital stock, and allow the use of dummy engines in Westchester County; to improve Seventh-street in Brooklyn; to amend the Quarantine Act; to incorporate the Student's Aid Society of New-York Free Academy; to authorize the Board of Supervisors to raise money by tax to provide for the payment of certain extraordinary expenses of the City of Brooklyn. The rules were suspended and the Health Bill taken up in committee, which, after protracted opposition, was ordered to a third reading by 60 to 49. The Quarantine Bill was made the special order for Wednesday next.

### FROM EUROPE.

The *New-York* brings European news to the 29th, three days later. The most important intelligence is in a dispatch from Lisbon, dated the day the *New-York* sailed, which says: "The Federal frigates *Niagara* and *Sacramento* attempted to sail before the expiration of the time fixed by the Portuguese authorities, and were fired upon by the Belen Fort. The *Niagara* was struck, and a seaman was killed. The vessels thereupon anchored." It seems that the *Stonewall*, the new rebel pirate, had escaped in some way from Ferrol, and got into the port of Lisbon; that our two steamers followed her in; that the authorities ordered her to leave, which she did; and that (according to the dispatches above quoted,) our steamers were a little too hasty in pursuit. We shall need farther advices to get the true bearings of the case.

In the House of Commons, Lord ELCHO alluded to the debates in the Canadian Parliament, where it has been denied that fifty thousand pounds was all that England would vote for Canada this year. Lord ELCHO would bring the matter forward April 14.

*La France* publishes an article signed by Baron DU PUYS, demonstrating that it is greatly to England's advantage to retain Canada.

The *Times* says a short time since Confederate drafts had been refused payment by FRASER, TRENHOLM & Co., of Liverpool, for want of advances. The requisite funds and instructions have since arrived, and the bills will be paid immediately.

The Marquis DE LA LAVALETTE, Senator, has been appointed Minister of the Interior, in place of M. BOUHIER, whose resignation has been accepted. The Russian Ambassador at Rome recently gave a banquet to Gen. MCCLELLAN. Among the toasts proposed was one for the maintenance of friendly relations between Russia and America. The Taepings still hold Chang-Chow. The chief has issued an address to the people ordering submission, and offering protection. He proposes to negotiate with the Treaty Powers.

### GENERAL NEWS.

The steamer *Solent* arrived at Havana from Vera Cruz, the 1st inst., with City of Mexico dates to March 28. She brings little news of importance. Nicholas Romero, Maj. Hegmis Alvarez, Lieut. Rajas and Sergeant Perez, of the Liberal army, had been captured and executed. The *Era* assures the readers that the government has finally arranged to pay the French debt at six per cent. On the 18th of March there was an insurrection in the City of Mexico, which was speedily quelled. Five of the insurgents were executed on the 21st. The papers say that it had no apparent political cause. Senor MEDESTO DE OLAGUEBEL, a prominent statesman, died on the 26th. About 12,000 French and Austrians were on the way to Sonora.

The correspondent of the Associated Press at Havana says: "The press of the United States is decidedly culpable in favoring immigration to Mexico. Emigrants land at Vera Cruz, where they seek employment in vain or they go into the interior to purchase land which cannot be bought with a clear title. Their money soon exhausted in a country of high prices, they are thrown upon charity for support or means of returning to their native land, or have to become vagrants. Only one dollar per day is paid for on the railroad, and board costs from three to four dollars per week, and the higher situations are all taken. There has been a great deal of suffering among disappointed and deceived emigrants."

A dispatch from Washington, received yesterday afternoon by Mr. CLARENCE A. SEWARD, of this city, says: "Mr. SEWARD'S symptoms are favorable. The bad rumors of to-day are untrue." It was currently reported yesterday that Mr. SEWARD was dead; but the rumor doubtless arose from the universal display of flags at half-mast during the funeral of Gen. WINTHROP.

The Democrats of Albany, at the charter election on Tuesday, elected their city ticket by an average majority of 1,340. The vote is light, and the Democratic majority is reduced eight or nine hundred, as compared with last Spring's election. The Union side elect six of the ten Aldermen, a gain of three. The Democrats elect seven of the ten Supervisors—same as last year.

"Duke" GWIN'S organ in San Francisco, the *Democratic Press*, professes to know that the French Commander at Mozatlan has a copy of the deed by which MAXIMILIAN cedes to NAPOLEON to States of Sonora, Sinaloa, Durango and Chihuahua; GWIN is named as Trustee, and is expected early in June in Sonora, with French soldiers enough at his back to stay there.

The steamer *Flamingo*, six days from Galveston, with 981 bales of cotton and 10 passengers, arrived at Havana on the 6th. As she passed the United States steamer *Santiago*, in port, the people threw handfuls of cotton at the gunboat, and cheered in a very lively manner.

Miss SARAH SHERMAN, a niece of Maj.-Gen. SHERMAN, made her debut as an actress at the National Theatre, Cincinnati, on Monday night. She played *Lady Gay Spanker* in "London Assurance," and her performance is very well spoken of.

The United States steamer *Circassian* arrived at Boston yesterday from the Gulf Squadron, with a number of sick and discharged seamen. The health of the officers and seamen on the Southern coast was generally good.

The blockade-runner *Little Hattie* put out the other day from Havana, but soon returned with a hole in her smoke-stack, supposed to have been perforated by the United States steamer *Cherokee*.

The late JOHN C. RIVES had invested $100,000 in English consols. The Orphan's Court of Washington orders them sold in London, the proceeds to be invested in United States bonds.

Mr. ALEXANDER HERON, a well-known merchant of Philadelphia, and brother of MATILDA HERON, the actress, died suddenly on Friday night in Philadelphia.

### LOCAL NEWS.

At the charter election held in Jersey City, on Tuesday, Mayor ORESTES CLEVELAND (Dem.) was reelected by a majority of about 500 votes. The largest part of the city and ward democratic ticket was elected; though the Citizens' candidate for Chief of Police, Mr. MCMANUS, had a majority of nearly 700.

Yesterday the One Hundred and Ninety-second Regiment, New-York Volunteers, four hundred and eighty strong, under command of Major HEMLEN, arrived in this city from Albany, and immediately proceeded to Washington by the Camden and Amboy Railroad.

Brig.-Gen. ULLMAN, with two of his staff—Lieuts. D. S. MANN and L. E. GRANGER—arrived in this city yesterday. This is the first leave the General has had in two years. He remains but a few days and then returns to his duties in the field.

The funeral services of the late Brig.-Gen. WINTHROP were attended yesterday at Trinity Church in presence of an immense congregation. Three of our local regiments and one of the regular army acted as escort.

The Coroner's Jury, in the case of the Brooklyn fire disaster, returned a verdict that no one was specially at fault, but that the building that fell and others adjoining are unsafe, and recommend the authorities to see to them.

The Henry Clay Festival Association gave its annual supper last evening at the Maison Dorée which was attended by a select company of gentlemen.

About 1,200 workmen at the Brooklyn Navy-yard struck because of a reduction of 50 cents per day in wages. They have been getting $4 to $4 50 per day.

Mayor GUNTHER, yesterday, issued a proclamation designating the 20th inst. as a day of rejoicing for our recent victories.

In Hoboken and Hudson City the Democratic tickets were chosen, except for Water Commissioner in the former place.

Government gold-bearing bonds maintained the recent advance, yesterday, on a light business, the latter traceable in part to the scarcity of large lots, and in part to the delay in ascertaining the latest European quotations for the 5-20s by the *New-York*, from Bremen and Southampton. The London prices for the 5-20s on March 30 were 56½@57, showing an advance of 3@3½ ₩ cent. on the figures previously advised. The advance was based on the news of SHERMAN'S progress in North Carolina, taken out by the *Belgian* and *City of Baltimore*. By this time the official report of GRANT'S successes in Virginia, resulting in the fall of Richmond and Petersburgh, have doubtless reached England. By the 19th or 20th inst. the intelligence of LEE'S formal surrender and the collapse of the psuedo Confederacy will be there. To such glorious news, foreign bankers doing business here generally anticipate an emphatic response in the form of a heavy increase of orders for our national securities at a material rise on prevailing prices. At this time last year—without any immediate prospect of cessation of hostilities—United States Six per cents, of 1881, were selling in the New-York market at 115@115½; United States 5-20s at 113½@114; while the United States 10-40s were in process of distribution at par, adding the accrued six weeks' coin interest on the basis of gold at 150. At present, with the war for the Union practically ended, and the national authority triumphantly vindicated, these securities are quoted 6@8 ₩ per cent. below the figures of April 13, 1864. The opinion in the street is that the steamers from Europe, toward the close of the current month of April, which will make known the effect in foreign markets of the recent inspiriting intelligence from this side, will also advise us of a brisk foreign demand for the funded stocks of our government at a marked improvement in prices; and this, too, largely from buyers, who would not voluntarily touch United States bonds when they were obtainable at 40c.@50c. on the dollar.

As had been anticipated, the average daily subscriptions to the National 7-30 Currency Loan this week, is an encouragingly rising one, being $3,00,003,025 (as against the daily average of only $2,512,433 last week, and $2,881,360 the preceding week), as follows: Monday, $2,873,650; Tuesday, $3,132,400. The orders for the $50 and $100 notes of the Loan, thus far this week, have averaged 2,102 a day. Thrifty people evidently appreciate the great improvement in the "military situation."

A restricted business was transacted in Produce and Merchandise yesterdy, at irregular prices. Flour declined 10c.@15c., and new Mess Pork advanced 25c. ₩ bbl. Cotton was steady. Whisky a shade cheaper. Freights dull.

The Gold Room was one ₩ cent. lower yesterday than on Tuesday. Stocks active in the forenoon, but lower on the Railways at the close of the day. Government Securities firm at Tuesday's advance.

Last evening the Gold market was rather irregular. The closing price was 145¼.

MR. ADAMS AND LORD RUSSELL ON THE DUTIES OF NEUTRALS.—Included in the digest of diplomatic correspondence, which we publish to-day, is a letter of Mr. ADAMS, which so effectually *nails* Lord RUSSELL on the question of neutral duties and obligations, that it may be said to settle the basis on which our claims for losses by British-built pirates, will finally be established. In an unthinking moment the British Secretary committed himself to the following statement:

"I cannot refrain from observing that Her Majesty's Government have been far more successful in preventing breaches of neutrality with regard to the fitting out of cruisers to take part in the civil war in North America than the government of the United States were in preventing the fitting out of ships-of-war to aid the South American Republics in their revolt against Spain, which, however, then stood in the position of a central authority resisting insurrection."

Into the merits of this comparative presentment of British and United States neutrality, Mr. ADAMS only allowed himself to be dragged just so far as was necessary to clinch Lord RUSSELL'S historical references. Our Minister's rejoinder was a master-stroke of diplomatic argument. Here are his words:

"Were it expedient at this late day to enter upon an examination of the relative merits of the two governments in the two very widely different stages of their condition, in acquitting themselves of their obligations of neutrality under circumstances of difficulty, I am not aware that any result which might be arrived at would have an effect in materially varying the views that should be taken of the shortcomings of either. Very fortunately, I am saved the necessity of further discussion of it by pointing out to your Lordship a circumstance which seems to have entirely escaped your attention. *Whatever may have been the deficiencies of the United States in the instance alluded to, compensation therefor has been made to Spain, and her full and free release has been given under the sanction of her hand to a solemn treaty. Whenever Her Majesty's Government shall acknowledge itself prepared to perfect the parallel, the example may be cited against the United States, but not until then.*"

This pointed application embraces the whole matter immediately at issue between our minister and the British Secretary. We are entitled to "compensation" for losses which we have suffered as belligerents. And in demanding such "compensation," we ask nothing more than we ourselves had been ready to concede when we stood in the position of neutrals.

### The President's Speech—The Question of Reconstruction.

Those who expected from the President the statement of a settled reconstruction policy have been disappointed. His speech disclosed nothing new on that subject. It was made up chiefly of remarks upon the inherent difficulties of the general task, and upon the considerations that prompted the attempt to restore Louisiana to its old status on the basis of twelve thousand loyal voters. No pledge was given, or intention declared, to hold to this or any other particular plan for the future. The special characteristic of the speech was its reserve.

Herein was wisdom. The time has not yet come for the establishment of any regular system of restoration. The simple reason is that one of the most important elements to be taken into account is yet to be developed. We mean the temper of the South. Upon this temper will depend the discretionary power that should be accorded. If the people lately in revolt choose to accept the result of the war like sensible men, if they exhibit a readiness to resume their relations to the Union in good faith, and to adapt themselves to the best of their ability to that free society which is indispensible to the national concord, every facility should be accorded them for their speedy repossession of every franchise and privilege existing under the constitution. But until time determines in what spirit the conciliatory spirit of the government will be met, it would be folly for the government to engage itself to any fixed line of action.

The Southern disposition hitherto manifested in the districts reduced to our control, is no test. So long as the Confederacy retained its capital and its great armies, almost every Southern mind was more or less under the delusion that it might still prevail, and was badly influenced. That delusion has now passed. The South now, for the first time, is in a condition to meet, with a clear judgment, the question of its future relations to the Union. Some little time must be allowed it to take the new bearings of the situation. Some little time must be allowed the Government, too, to learn what concurrence and co-operation a liberal policy would be likely to receive. Every day now is rapidly shedding light upon these points, and we may confidently expect that the government will soon be prepared to move in the most advantageous direction.

The practical sense which President LINCOLN brings to this momentous work of reconstruction is forcibly illustrated in the remark of his speech that the question whether the so-called seceded States are or are not yet in the Union, is a "pernicious abstraction." A vast deal of controversy has been indulged in upon this subject, and sweeping conclusions have been drawn with a great deal of logical labor, from each hypothesis. The simple fact is that categories and formulas in a practical business of this kind are but an impertinence. They are fit only for that Hudibrastic order of mind which must "tell the clock by algebra." Mr. LINCOLN spoke pat to the purpose when he said: "We all agree that the seceded States, so called, are *out of their proper practical relation* with the Union, and that the sole object of the government, civil and military, in regard to these States is again to get them *into their proper practical relation*." That covers the whole ground. Whether these States are out of the Union or not—though for our part we think it very plain that they are not—it is needless to dispute.

Of course, these "proper practical relations" mean *equal* relations. The great end is to get every Southern State back, so that t shall perform the same obligations, and exercise the same rights, identically that are performed and exercised by every Northern State. It would be ruinous to our Constitutional system to pervert it so as to keep one section of the country permanently subordinate to the rest. Every friend of the Constitution must desire to have this exceptional condition of the South terminated as soon as possible. Nobody, we believe, wishes to keep any Southern State under disabilities, simply as a punishment. Mr. SUMNER himself, probably, does not want to transform the Southern States into territories for any such object. The real concern here is, whether the Southern States, if restored at once to their full State rights, would not abuse them by an oppression of the black race. This race has rendered an assistance to the government in the time of danger that entitles them to its benign care. The government cannot, without the worst dishonor, permit the bondage of the black man to be continued in any form. It is bound by every moral principle, as well as every prudential consideration, not to remit him to the tender mercies of any enemy. But it is to be hoped that the Southern people will understand that the interests of both races require a *just* relation between them, and that they will secure this by a prompt change of their State constitutions and laws. Every appearance, thus far, indicates such a disposition, and that in due time the government will be rid of this embarrassment. Yet for the present, further developments in respect to this and many other important matters must be awaited. The President must exercise caution, the people patience.

### The Escape of the Ram Stonewall.

The last report of the Franco-Danish ram, *Stonewall*, left the pirate anchored in the Spanish harbor of Ferrol; the United States war vessels *Niagara* and *Sacramento* keeping watch within sight. On the 21st of March the *Stonewall*, by the assistance of a Spanish man-of-war, was enabled to put to sea. The ram and the convoy, however, were followed so promptly by our fleet, that, despairing of making sufficient headway, after parting with the Spaniard, the pirate put about, and re-entered the harbor under the wings of the convoy.

The next we hear of the rebel ram and of the United States fleet is contained in the brief and disjointed telegrams from Lisbon, (of six, seven and eight days' later date,) which we publish this morning.

By these, it will be seen that, on some day not named, between the 21st and 27th of March, the ram got safely past our fleet in Ferrol Harbor, and reached the port of Lisbon on the latter day. The final departure of the *Stonewall* from Ferrol, if we are to credit the report—which comes through a rebel channel—was unopposed. PAGE, who commands the pirate, writes that before leaving Ferrol his papers were put into safe keeping on shore, and the vessel was cleared for action in anticipation of an attack from our fleet. The latter, PAGE says, "avoided a conflict,"—a story which, in any case, we should have to receive with allowance, and which, in this instance, is in part disproved by the fact that the pirate, on escaping from Ferrol, was pursued by our vessels to Lisbon. And here the sequel of the story might be made sensational with little effort of the imagination.

The ram, it seems, was promptly required to leave Portuguese waters by a government order. But our fleet was, at the same time, required to remain twenty-four hours behind. The circumstances seemed to the United States Commander such, that he took upon himself to disobey this mandate, and prepared to sail before the time designated. Thereupon our fleet was fired upon from the Belen Fort, and the *Niagara* was struck on the poop and one seaman killed. Our fleet then returned to its anchorage.

These are the bare results thus far, materially regarded. Of course this new scourge is now on the high seas, and will doubtless prove to us still further the advantages of European neutrality at this particular crisis.

If these acts the Spanish and Portuguese Governments do but copy, and scarcely improve upon, the neutrality of England and France. They have been guilty of an essentially unfriendly act; and their joint action—for such we must call it—of letting loose this pirate at this time, is particularly foolish and criminal.

It will, however, give point, emphasis, and directness to the President's intimation that hereafter the concession of belligerent rights to such pirates as the *Stonewall* will call forth reprisals. Spain and Portugal both could be made to feel promptly and effectually that the time has gone by when United States vessels-of-war can be put upon a level with the foreign-built rebel craft that lie skulking in neutral ports to prey upon our commerce. The demand for a termination of the rights of belligerency granted to the rebels in Europe, could hardly have been put in more effective style than that used in the President's proclamation.

THE SEVEN-THIRTIES AND FIVE-TWENTIES.—The homely phrase, "going off like hotcakes," is completely applicable to the manner in which the new loan is being taken by the people. Yesterday the subscriptions reached the enormous sum of $3.526,000; there was one subscription of $858,000, and nearly *twenty-five hundred* were for $100 and $50. Evidently the people have confidence in their government and in the future. While the new loan is meeting with such great and gratifying success at home, we learn by yesterday's steamer from Europe of a still further rise there of three per cent. in the old Five-Twenty stock. If this went up to 57 on such news as they had at the close of last month, what will it reach when they learn of the fall of Richmond, and what will it not reach when they learn of the surrender of LEE'S army, the crushing out of the rebellion, the termination of the war, and the complete triumph of our government?

THE HEALTH BILL.—After a long struggle in committee of the whole yesterday, the Assembly brought the Metropolitan Health Bill squarely into the House, and it was ordered to a third reading by the satisfactory vote of 60 to 49. The opposing members made no argument against it, but used the utmost license in trying to retard progress by points of order and the other means of filibustering permitted under the rules. As this affirmative vote is within five of enough, and as nineteen members were absent, or did not vote, the prospect of its adoption is excellent. It is substantially the bill already passed by the Senate

## NEWS FROM WASHINGTON.

Dispatches to the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Wednesday, April 12.

### OUR RAPIDLY INCREASING NAVY.

Such has been the increase of the navy, that the *Navy Register* for this year will contain fifty pages more than the one previously published. Sixty vessels were added between Jan. 1, 1864, and Jan. 1, 1865, and *personnel* in proportion. The names of sixty-four iron-clads are given. The entire number of vessels is six hundred and eighty-three. It appears that within the period above-mentioned, seven naval vessels were destroyed by rebel torpedoes and as many captured by the enemy.

### THE BLOCKADE CONTINUED.

The ports recently closed by the proclamation of the President, will continue to be blockaded.

### Important to Bibliophiles.

Mr. D. S. FRANCIS, No. 506 Broadway, is receiving subscriptions for an elegant large paper edition of the complete works of ABRAHAM COWLEY, in three large 8vo volumes, with lubricated title-pages. An advertisement in another column gives the particulars of this undertaking, which possesses peculiar interest for all bibliophiles.

Messrs. BANGS, MERWIN & Co. will sell by auction on April 13 and 14, (to-day and to-morrow evening,) a private library, containing valuable books in most of the departments of literature, comprising fine English editions of the best authors, in rich bindings; many of the publications of PICKERING, J. RUSSELL SMITH and MURRAY; a large number of poetical and dramatic works of the the most valued editions; an extensive collection of biographies of actors and dramatists and histories of the stage. On Monday evening, they will sell at auction the entire private library of the late Mr. WM. J. DAVIS, comprising a great variety of scarce books in history especially those relating to New-York and the war of the American Revolution; the publications of "The Club."

### The Sedgwick Monument.

Officers and men who have served in the Sixth Army Corps, and who are disposed to contribute to the monument to be erected to their late Commander, Maj.-Gen. JOHN SEDGWICK, killed in the battle at Spottsylvania, may send their contributions to Col. M. T. MCMAHON, at Gen. DIX'S headquarters, No. 49 Bleecker-street. Col. MCMAHON has been requested by the committee of officers who have the matter in charge, to collect the contributions from officers and men who are not now serving with the corps. Ten thousand dollars have already been contributed by the troops in the field.

### Amusements.

IRVING HALL.—Mlle. DE KATOW and Mr. JAMES M. WEHLI gave an excellent concert here last evening. The lady played several of her agreeable tunes in a pleasant and popular way. Mr. WEHLI has rarely been heard to greater advantage. His left-hand performances are really surprising; but beyond this, and preferable to our taste, are the particular productions from the gentleman's own *pen mercenus* that possess merit of the nicest order, and are played invariably with unfaltering delicacy, and the just amount of strength.

Mrs. BERRIEN was the vocalist of the evening.

The same artists will give another entertainment at Irving Hall on Friday night.

STELLA BONHEUR'S CONCERT.—This talented lady will be the recipient of a grand complimentary concert on Saturday evening next. She will be assisted by several artists of distinction, and the programme is excellent.

IRVING HALL.—Mr. DEMPSTER, the well-known ballad singer, will give his first entertainment here to-night since his return from Europe.

### The Seven-Thirties.

PHILADELPHIA, Wednesday, April 12.

JAY COOKE reports the subscriptions to the seven-thirty loan to-day at $3,526,000. The largest Western subscription was $102,000, from Chicago; the largest Eastern, $358,000, from New-York. There were also 2,168 individual subscriptions of $50 and $100.

## OUR FOREIGN RELATIONS.

### Second Volume of Diplomatic Correspondence—Our Affairs with Great Britain—The Alabama and the Deerhound—Neutrality of the Lakes.

WASHINGTON, April 12..

The second volume of the Diplomatic Correspondence is, like the first, confined to our affairs with Great Britain, and treats of a variety of subjects.

Minister ADAMS, in a letter to Earl RUSSELL, dated Sept. 6, 1864, expressive of the views of this government, says;

THE ALABAMA AND THE DEERHOUND.

"In order to guard against injurious inferences, it is proper to add that the proceeding of Capt. WINSLOW, in paroling and discharging the men who fell into his hands, has been formally disapproved."

He concludes his letter as follows:

"I am directed to-day that my government does not for a moment believe that any of the proceedings referred to, whether relating to the chief wrong-doer, commanding the hostile vessel (the *Alabama*), to the yacht *Deerhound*, or to those British subjects who have not scrupled, either publicly to declare their sympathy with, or privately to aid and abet the violators of Her Majesty's neutrality, are viewed with any other sentiments than those of regret and disapproval by the members of Her Majesty's Government.

Nevertheless, it appears to be a solemn obligation of my government, in view of all the grave consequences of such a proceeding, to sum up the conclusions it has now arrived at:

*First*—The incidents, as heretofore explained, confirm the soundness of the opinion previously insisted upon, that the *Alabama* is justly to be regarded as to have obtained at no point of time any other national character than that which may have attached to it from its construction, equipment, armament and manning by British subjects out of British ports.

*Second*—That the persons who escaped from this vessel thus fitted out by British subjects, engaged in making unlawful war against the United States after voluntary surrender as prisoners of war, by reason of the unlawful intervention of the Commander of the British yacht *Deerhound*, and the conveyance of them within the jurisdiction of Great Britain, ought to be delivered up to the United States.

*Third*—That the continuance of these persons to receive from any British authorities or subjects, pecuniary assistance or supplies, or the regular payment of wages, for the purpose of more effectually carrying on hostile operations from this kingdom as a base, is a grievance against which it is my duty to remonstrate, and for which to ask a remedy in their conviction and punishment.

*Fourth*—The occasion has been thought to warrant a direction to me to ask with earnestness of her Majesty's Government that it should adopt such measures as may be effective to prevent the preparation, equipment and outfit of any further naval expedition from British shores to make war against the United States.

In making these representations, I am instructed to assure your Lordship that the President is far from seeking causes of offence on the part of Great Britain. But he is charged with the duty of maintaining the belligerent rights of the United States on the high seas as they are recognized by the law of nations, against all lawless combinations and resistance. He, therefore, trusts that Her Majesty's Government will consider the subject in a just and candid spirit, and himself as asking from it in this case only what, if the situation of the parties were reversed, would have been conceded to any similar request based on equally cogent considerations."

EARL RUSSELL'S REPLY.

Earl RUSSELL, in reply, dated Sept. 26, 1864, says:

"In the first place, it is undoubtedly true that the *Alabama* was partly fitted out in a British port. But as soon as evidence was obtained that acts had been committed with regard to that vessel in violation of a British statute, orders were sent to seize her. She, however, escaped from British waters, in a state of half equipment, under a fraudulent pretence of making a trial trip. Her equipment was afterward completed in a foreign port, neither British nor American, and a commission from the so-styled Confederate Government was there delivered to Capt. SEMMES, her commander, himself an American citizen.

*Secondly*, I have to state that it appears to Her Majesty's Government that the Commander of the private British yacht, the *Deerhound*, in saving from drowning some of the officers and crew of the *Alabama*, after the vessel had sunk, performed a praiseworthy act of humanity, to which, moreover, he had been exhorted by the officer commanding the *Kearsarge*, to which vessel the *Deerhound* had, in the first instance, gone, in order to offer to the *Kearsarge* any assistance which, after her action with the *Alabama*, she might stand in need of; and it appears, further, to Her Majesty's Government, that under all the circumstances of the case, Mr. LANCASTER was not under any obligation to deliver to the Captain of the *Kearsarge* the officers and men whom he had rescued from the waves.

But, however that may be with regard to the demand made by you, by instructions from your government, that those officers and men should now be delivered up to the Government of the United States, as escaped prisoners of war, her Majesty's Government would beg leave to observe that there is no obligation to deliver up to a belligerent prisoners of war who may have escaped from the power of such belligerent, and may have taken refuge within the territory of such neutral. Therefore, even if her Majesty's Government had any power by law to comply with the above-mentioned demand, her Majesty's Government could not do so without being guilty of a violation of the duties of hospitality.

In point of fact, however, Her Majesty's Government have no lawful power to arrest and deliver up the persons in question. They have been guilty of no offence against the laws of England, and they have committed no act which could bring them within the provisions of the treaty between Great Britain and the United States for the mutual surrender of offenders, and Her Majesty's Government are therefore entirely without any legal means by which, even if they wished to do so, they could comply with your above-mentioned demand.

*Thirdly*.—With regard to the statement made to the United States Government, that British authorities offered pecuniary assistance or supplies, or furnished regular payment of wages to persons forming the crew of the *Alabama*, for the purpose of enabling them more effectually to carry on hostile operations against the United States, I have to say that Her Majesty's Government have no knowledge whatever of any such circumstances, and do not believe that there is any foundation for such statements. Private individuals may, very possibly, have contributed to relieve the necessities of the persons in question; but with the pecuniary contributions of private individuals Her Majesty's government have no power to interfere.

I beg further to assure you that Her Majesty's Government have adopted, and will continue to adopt, to the utmost of their lawful power, such measures as may be effective to prevent the preparation, equipment and outfit of any naval expedition from British shores to make war against the United States.

The detention and seizure of the Birkenhead Iron-clads and the discussion in Parliament on that subject, suffices to show that if complete prevention in this respect has not been attained, all that the government in this free country can do to stop such expeditions has been fully performed.

*Lastly*—in expressing the regret of Her Majesty's Government that they should find themselves unable to comply with any application which the Government of the United States may have thought themselves entitled to make, I cannot refrain from observing that Her Majesty's Government have been far more successful in preventing breaches of neutrality with regard to the fitting out of cruisers in this war than the Government of the United States were in preventing the fitting out of ships to aid the South American Republics in their revolt against Spain.

Were it expedient at this late day to enter upon an examination of the relative merits of the two governments in the two very widely different stages of their condition, in acquitting themselves of their obligations of neutrality under circumstances of difficulty, I am not aware that any result which might be arrived at would have an effect in materially varying the views that should be taken of the shortcomings of either. Very fortunately, I am saved the necessity of further discussion of it by pointing out to your Lordship a circumstance which seems to have entirely escaped your attention. Whatever may have been the deficiencies of the United States in the instance alluded to, compensation therefor has been made to Spain, and her full and free release has been given under the sanction of her hand to a solemn treaty. Whenever Her Majesty's Government shall acknowledge itself prepared to perfect the parallel instance, the example may be cited against the United States, but not until then.

I have now the honor to inform your Lordship that after a careful consideration of your note of the 26th of September, my government thinks itself entitled to adhere to the several positions it has heretofore assumed in regard to the painful transaction in question, as these have been made known through me to Her Majesty's Government; I am further directed to express to you the President's concern at the failure, thus far, of the efforts that have been made to avert a misunderstanding between the two countries upon a point which the American people have cause to regard as seriously affecting the national honor and dignity.

DESERTERS IN ENGLISH PORTS.

It appears from the great mass of correspondence on various questions, that Earl RUSSELL says there is no law in force in England by which three sailors who deserted from the United States ship *Iroquois*, at Dover, could be given up."

Secretary WELLES, in a letter to Mr. SEWARD, says:

"The course pursued by the authorities at Dover, in liberating these deserters, will necessarily be reciprocated, and in that event relieve us from great and constant applications in regard to seamen who have or may come among us.

LORD LYONS.

It seems from the following that Lord LYONS designed returning to this country:

DEPARTMENT OF STATE,
WASHINGTON, Dec. 5, 1864.

SIR: Lord LYONS, suffering much from neuralgia, goes home on a leave of absence. I am desirous that Earl RUSSELL shall understand how deeply this incident is regretted by this government, and how desirous we are for Lord LYONS' recovery and return to this country, &c.

Mr. SEWARD, in a note to Lord LYONS, says:

MY DEAR LORD LYONS: I agree with you that it is best that you go away for a time. I hope not a long one. And yet I feel that my cares and difficulties will be seriously increased by your withdrawal. I shall be happy to see you to-morrow at 12 o'clock, and I will then attend you to the Executive Mansion, where the President will receive you, I am sure with sincere kindness and sympathy."

FOREIGN APPLICANTS FOR TRADE PERMITS.

The following letter appears from the Secretary of the Treasury, Mr. FESSENDEN, to Mr. CRAM:

NOVEMBER 14, 1864.

SIR:—I have received your letter of the 27th ultimo, inclosing the application of W. E. SEARSON, a British subject, who asks permission to transport to market certain cotton, produced by the labor of freedmen employed by him, without making oath that he is a loyal citizen of the United States.

Such an oath should not be required from the *actual subjects* of any foreign power, and when you are satisfied that similar applicants are in good faith subjects of foreign powers, and have never exercised any of the rights of citizenship in this country, you are authorized to waive that clause in the affidavit, and only require oath that the applicant has not done any act of hostility toward the United States.

THE PEACE ADDRESS.

Mr. SEWARD writes to Mr. ADAMS, Oct. 17, 1864.

"SIR:—I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your dispatch of the 29th of September, No. 770, which gives me the preliminary proof-copies of an appeal for peace on the basis of disunion, that is to be signed by Englishmen in the name of the United States.

I am obliged to you for the pains you have taken to establish the important fact that this new plot against the United States has for its authors the emissaries from this country, who just now seemed to be very welcome guests in British society. The projected appeal is only a new instrument employed by the insurgents in the attempt to influence and determine in their interest the now pending national elections. As such it is in effect a previous confession that, notwithstanding the pretension of the insurgents to be a foreign power, they are actually seeking to secure an administration of this paternal government which would be more tolerant of their treason than the administration they have failed to overthrow by force. Happily, the American people are, just now, well awakened to the importance of persevering in their hitherto inflexible policy of national unity and sovereignty. The proposed address of Her Majesty's subjects, if it shall ultimately reach this country, will justly be deemed intrusive and offensive, and thus its effect will be the very opposite

of its design, while it will unavoidably increase the unfriendliness with which a considerable portion of our people have reluctantly come to regard the British nation. That nation will find in these results a new proof of the truth of the old maxim, that 'revolutionary emigrants are bad advisers.' I have read with much satisfaction the paper which has been issued by the 3,000 vigilant friends of freedom and humanity in Manchester."

NEUTRALITY OF THE LAKES.

Mr. SEWARD, in a letter to Mr. ADAMS, dated Oct. 24, 1864, says:

"It is my duty to invite, through you, the serious attention of Her Majesty's Government to the lawlessness which, unfortunately, seem to be multiplying, in which the British possessions in our neighborhood, both continental and insular, have been made bases for hostile proceedings of the insurgents against this country. The motives for such proceedings have undoubtedly been, not a conviction that material damage would result directly from the hostile acts of the insurgents, but a hope that a just sense of national dignity and self-preservation on our part might induce us to resent the toleration of the British authorities, and ultimately, perhaps, lead that government to take part with the insurgents as an open and declared enemy of the United States. The insufficiency of the British neutrality act, and of the warnings of the Queen's proclamation to arrest the causes of complaint referred to were anticipated early in the existing struggle, and that government was asked to apply a remedy by passing an act more stringent in its character, such as ours of the 10th of March, 1838, which was occasioned by a similar condition of affairs. This request has not been complied with, though its reasonableness and necessity have been shown by subsequent events."

The Secretary, after giving the particulars appertaining to the seizure by the insurgents of the steamers *Chesapeake*, the *Philo Parsons* and *Island Queen*, &c., says: "The primary object in capturing these steamers was confessedly to release the insurgent officers confined on Johnson's Island. There is reason to believe that the conspiracy was organized and set in motion by the prominent insurgents, who have for some time past been residing in Canada for such purposes. Indeed this department has proof that Mr. JACOB THOMPSON has acknowledged that he was commissioned and provided with funds to carry them into effect, and had interviews with conspicuous members of the gang just before the steamers were captured.

It is obvious that, at the time of the informal arrangement between the two governments of April, 1817, limiting their naval force on the lakes, a condition of things like the present could scarcely have been anticipated. The object of that arrangement was to prevent either party from keeping in commission the considerable naval force which they had both employed in that quarter during the war then recently closed. If peace were expected to continue, the force was an unnecessary burden to both parties; but, on the contrary, if war should suddenly be renewed, one or the other might, in anticipation of that event, have, clandestinely or otherwise, so augmented its force as to insure to it a dangerous advantage. Believing that these were the views entertained at the time the arrangement was entered into, and that neither the United States nor Great Britain expected to relinquish their right to self-defence in the event of a civil war in the territories of either, by the limitation referred to by the Secretary of the Treasury, as you will see from the correspondence, a copy of which is inclosed, one chartered two propellers, one on Lake Erie and the other on Lake Ontario, for the purpose of checking and suppressing depredations on our trade and territory in that region similar to those above mentioned.

I had just prepared the foregoing statement of the transaction on Lake Erie, when information of a new and equally desperate outrage on another part of the border reached this department. A band, said to consist of twenty-five desperate men, clandestinely armed, crossed the frontier and proceeded in several parties, by stage-coach, to St. Alban's, Vt., in the customary way of travelers. At a concerted time they raised a scene of terror in that peaceful town, and broke into boarding-houses and other buildings, and carried off large amounts of treasure, said to be $225,000, together with other valuable property. As soon as the people recovered from their surprise, they arose and hotly pursued the felons, who sought safety by returning on stolen horses across the frontier into Canada. The Canadian municipal agents seem to have cooperated with the pursuers from Vermont with alacrity and diligence. Twelve of the robbers were arrested, stripped of their plunder and taken into custody by the Canadian authorities. It is also understood that a considerable part of the recovered property was promptly restored to its owners. Here the imperfect accounts which I have received of the transaction end. I have requested of HUME BURNLEY, Esq., Her Majesty's Chargé d'Affaires here that the felons may be detained until, after having obtained the exact information which is essential, I shall have addressed to the British government a demand for the surrender of the offenders, in conformity with the provisions for extradition contained in the Ashburton Treaty. The subject has been discussed in a friendly spirit between myself and Mr. BURNLEY, who has received telegraphic advices from Lord LYONS, who yet remains in New-York. I give you a copy of the note which I addressed to Mr. BURNLEY, on the 21st inst., and also a copy of a note I afterward received from him in answer to my verbal request that Lord MONK, the Governor-General, should be advised to detain the offenders for extradition. I wish you to bring this transaction also to the notice of Earl RUSSELL, and say to him that, taken in connection with events of the same character which have occurred on the Canada frontier, it is regarded here as deserving prompt and decisive proceedings on the part of Her Majesty's Government, in order to prevent the danger of ultimate conflict upon the Canadian borders. It is a pleasant circumstance that in making this communication, we are not only able but obliged to say that the Canadian authority has, in this instance, thus far cooperated with this government in faithful and diligent efforts to bring the disturbers of the public peace to due account. It is, however, impossible to resist the conviction that peace cannot be reliably maintained upon the borders unless more effective measures shall be adopted to secure that end, than those that have hitherto been used by both governments. We know well, although we have not judicial evidence, that all the movements of this character are set on foot by JACOB THOMPSON, and other disloyal American citizens who are temporarily domiciled in Canada and furnished with funds there for these iniquitous purposes through the banking institutions of Canada. It is now my duty to instruct you to give notice to Earl RUSSELL, in conformity with the treaty reservation of that right, that at the expiration of six months after you shall have made this communication, the United States will deem themselves at liberty to increase the naval armament upon the lakes, if, in their judgment, the condition of affairs in that quarter shall then require it. And you will be careful to advise us of the day on which this notice is given. You will assure the Earl, however, that this proceeding is adopted only as a necessary measure of national defence, and not only with no purpose of hostility, but, on the other hand, with a desire no less earnest than heretofore to preserve the most friendly relations with Great Britain. Moreover, this government will in every case direct its best efforts to prevent invasion of British territory, whether by way of popular retaliation or otherwise. It is not for us to indicate the means Her Majesty's Government should adopt to maintain the neutrality on their side of the border. You will again suggest to Her Majesty's Government that, in our opinion, a policy similar to that which was inaugurated by our enactment before-mentioned, might be followed with advantage by Great Britain in the American Provinces during our present civil war. I should fail, however, to express a sincere conviction of this government if I should not repeat now what I have heretofore so often had occasion to say, that practically the policy of neutrality which Her Majesty has proclaimed, has failed as well in the British home ports as in the British colonies, and especially in the latter; and that it must continue to fail more conspicuously every day, so long as asylum is allowed there to active agents of the enemies of the United States, and they are in any way able, by evasion or otherwise, to use the British ports and borders as a base for felonious depredations against the citizens of the United States. Nor are we able to conceive of any remedy adequate to the present exigency, but the recognition by Her Majesty's Government of the just and exclusive sovereignty of the United States in all waters and territories legally subject to the jurisdiction of this government. I use the word exigency with a consciousness of its just effect.

The welfare and prosperity of the British provinces on our borders are as seriously desired by us as they can be by the British Government. In a practical sense these provinces are sources of wealth and influence for the United States, although they are subject to a foreign jurisdiction. We have proved that this is a sincere conviction on our part by entering into relations of reciprocal free trade with the British provinces, almost as intimate as the relations of free trade which, under our Constitution, prevail between the several States of the American Union. Thus far we have been content with these relations, and probably we should remain content, whether the colonies adhere to their ties with Great Britain, or, with her consent, should assume the responsibilities of self-government, provided always that our friendship is reciprocal, while peace and harmony on the borders are essential to the very existence of such friendship. On the other hand, we have a right to expect that the dwellers within those provinces will be content to fulfill toward us the obligations of good neighborhood, as we are expected to fulfill the same obligations on our part. Even if this government could be satisfied with less than what I have thus indicated, it must, nevertheless, be admitted that from the very force of circumstances, peace could hardly be expected to prevail on a border which should afford to the communities which it divides an adequate protection against neutral aggression and retrisal.

Political agitation is as frequent in the British American Provinces as it is here. It is not easy to foresee how soon revolutionary movement may appear there. Every provocation now given to Americans will be likely to be claimed as a precedent in that case for intrusion from this side of the lakes. Would it not be wise to establish a proper system of repression now, which would prove a rock of safety for both countries hereafter.

Among the papers on this subject is a telegram from Gen. HITCHCOCK to Secretary STANTON, dated Sept. 23, 1864, saying:

"I take upon myself to express an opinion that the safety of our commerce on the lakes, and the security of the cities along the lake shores, makes it of the highest importance, if not an indispensable necessity, that the government should have several armed vessels fully manned to prevent the rebels, who find security in Canada, from seizing steamers engaged in commerce, and converting them into war vessels with a view of which they may, if not prevented, do us incalculable mischief. Ex-Secretary THOMPSON is employed in Canada in setting on foot expeditions of the most dangerous character," &c.

The appendix to the volume is large, and contains papers on the above and other interesting subjects.


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FITCH—SPERR.—At Newark, N. J., on Monday, April 10, by Rev. Mr. Hopper, WM. T. FITCH, of Bergen, N. J., and Miss LOUISA SPERR, of the former place.

WARBURTON—OTTER.—At Baltimore, Md., on Tuesday, April 11, by Rev. Dr. Foulk, FRED. J. WARBURTON, of New-York City, and S. VIRGINIA, daughter of William Otter, Esq., of Baltimore. No cards.

DIED.

ARTHUR.—At San Francisco, Cal., on Sunday, April 9, of disease of the heart, WILLIAM NELSON ARTHUR, of the firm of John D. Arthur & Son, and grandson of Hon. William Nelson, of Peekskill, N. Y.

ARMSTRONG.—On Thursday, March 23, at the residence of her son-in-law, J. I. Foreman, Marianna, Ark., Mrs. MARTHA ANN ARMSTRONG.

BERGEN.—On Tuesday, April 11, ELIAS H. BERGEN, in the 58th year of his age.

The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, on Thursday, at 2½ o'clock, from the residence of his mother, Mrs. John S. Bergen, 44th-st., near 1st-av., South Brooklyn, without further notice.

CORMACK.—On the 9th inst., MARGARET HENDERSON CORMACK, relict of the late John A. Cormack, in the 61st year of her age.

The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, from her late residence, No. 72 West Forty-first-street, on Thursday, the 13th inst., at 9 P. M.

Paterson papers please copy.

DANDY.—Killed before Richmond, on Sunday, April 2, while gallantly leading his regiment, the 160th New-York Vols., in the assault on Fort Gregg, Major JAMES H. DANDY, aged 23 years.

The color-bearer of the regiment was shot while planting the colors on the fort, upon which Major DANDY seized the tattered flag, and in endeavoring to plant it was shot dead. Young, noble and brave, his career has been short but glorious, and his name will be honored.

The friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, from the residence of his parents, Perth Amboy, N. J., on Thursday afternoon, at 1 o'clock. Trains leave Staten Island Ferry at 9 A. M., and New-Jersey Railroad foot of Cortlandt-st., at 10 A. M.

FLAGLER.—On Wednesday evening, April 12, of bronchitis, HENRIETTA, infant daughter of John E. and Hannah L. Flagler.

Funeral from the residence of her parents, No. 111 East 48th-st., on Friday, the 14th inst., at 2 o'clock P. M.

JONES.—On Tuesday, April 11, ANN ELIZA, wife of Mr. John Jones.

The friends of the family, and those of her father, Mr. Richard Wight, are respectfully invited to attend her funeral, from her late residence, No. 148 West Houston-st., on Friday, the 14th inst., at 2 o'clock.

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MARTIN.—On Wednesday, April 12, MARY C., wife of John J. Martin, aged 46 years.

Relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, on Friday, April 14, at 1 o'clock, from 6th-st. Baptist Church, near Avenue C.

MORFORD.—At Newton, N. J., suddenly, on Tuesday evening, April 11, SAMUEL D. MORFORD, in the 75th year of his age.

Funeral at 2 P. M on Friday, April 14. Cars leave foot of Barclay-st. at 8 A. M. and 4 P. M.

MEEKS.—On Tuesday, April 11, at his residence, of consumption, WILLIAM W. MEEKS, aged 37 years, 9 months and 27 days.

The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, on Friday, the 14th inst., at 2 o'clock, from his late residence, No. 183 Bleecker-st. Interment in Greenwood.

NEILL.—At his residence in Westchester County, N. Y., on Wednesday, April 12, SAMUEL M. NEILL.

The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, from St. Thomas' Church, Broadway and Houston-st., on Friday, the 14th inst., at 4 o'clock P. M., without further notice.

NASON.—In hospital, near Petersburgh, Va., on Monday, April 3, from wounds received in battle on the 2d inst., First Lieut. JOSEPH W. NASON, Co. H, 39th Regt. N. J. Vols., aged 20 years and 10 months.

Funeral services will be held at the Presbyterian Church in Montclair, N. J., on Sunday, the 16th inst., at 3 o'clock P. M. His friends, and those of his father, Henry Nason, are respectfully invited to attend.

SALOMON.—On Wednesday morning, April 12, BENJAMIN FRANKLIN SALOMON, in the 36th year of his age.

His funeral will take place at 10½ o'clock on Friday evening, the 14th inst., from the residence of his brother, David Salomon, No. 11 West 38th-st. His relatives and friends of the family are invited, without further notice.

LODGE OF ANTIQUITY No. 11, F. & A. M.—Brethren, you are hereby summoned to attend the funeral of our late P. S. W. WILLIAM W. MEEKS, on Friday, the 14th inst., at 1 o'clock P. M., at No. 2 Union-square. By order of E. ZACHARIE, W. M.

ANCIENT CHAPTER No. 1 OF R. A. M.—The members of this Chapter, as well as all companions R. A. Masons in good standing, are invited to meet at No. 8 Union-square, on Friday, at 1 o'clock P. M., to attend the funeral of our late companion, W. W. MEEKS, from No. 183 Bleecker-st. DANIEL WOLFF, H. P.

OFFICIAL.
DEPARTMENT OF STATE,
WASHINGTON, April 10, 1865.

Information has been received at this Department from Mr. George F. Seward, the Consul General of the United States at Shanghai, China, of the death, on the 23d day of January, 1865, at that place, of DANFORTH MARBLE, a citizen of the United States, and a former resident of New-York City. The legal representatives of the deceased may obtain further information by addressing this department.


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THE NATIONAL PARK BANK OF NEW-YORK, in the City of New-York, in the County of New-York and State of New-York, has been duly organized under and according to the requirements of the act of Congress entitled "An Act to provide a National Currency, secured by a pledge of United States bonds, and to provide for the circulation and redemption thereof," approved June 3, 1864, and has complied with all the provisions of said act required to be complied with before commencing the business of banking under said act.

The office of the Comptroller of the Currency being vacant, now therefore I, Samuel T. Howard, Deputy Comptroller of the Currency, do hereby certify that

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WHEREAS, BY SATISFACTORY EVIDENCE presented to the undersigned, it has been made to appear that the National Shoe and Leather Bank of the City of New-York, in the County of New-York and State of New-York, has been duly organized under and according to the requirements of the act of Congress, entitled, "An act to provide a National Currency, secured by a pledge of United States Bonds, and to provide for the circulation and redemption thereof, approved June 3, 1864," and has complied with all the provisions of said act required to be complied with before commencing the business of banking under said act.

Now, therefore, I, Freeman Clarke, Comptroller of the Currency, do hereby certify that "The National Shoe and Leather Bank of the City of New-York," in the City of New-York, in the County of New-York and State of New-York, is authorized to commence the business o banking under the act aforesaid.

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| Loans and Discounts | $5,310,348 25 |
| Overdrafts | 2,807 65 |
| Due from Banks | 597,269 65 |
| Due from the Directors of the Bank | 5,467,579 30 |
| Due from Brokers | 410,000 00 |
| Real Estate | 214,000 00 |
| Specie | 706,379 00 |
| Cash Items, viz: chiefly Checks on City Banks | 1,016,777 80 |
| United States Legal-Tenders and Clearing-House Certificates | 1,326,000 00 |
| Stocks, Promissory and United States 7 3-10 Notes, and Indebtedness Certificates | 4,582,551 53 |
| Bonds and Mortgages | 165,983 68 |
| Bills of Solvent Banks | 3,106 87 |
| Loss and Expense Account | 31,353 03 |
| Total | $14,045,028 12 |

LIABILITIES.

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| Capital | $4,000,000 00 |
| Circulation Registered | $100,000 |
| Less Notes on hand | 4,365 — 95,734 00 |
| Profits | 1,583,110 74 |
| Due to Banks | 2,784,020 70 |
| Due Depositors, on demand | 6,484,232 70 |
| Amount due, not included under either of the above heads—Tax Account | 94,847 29 |
| Unclaimed Dividends | 18,067 00 |
| Total | $14,045,028 12 |

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NEW-YORK, April 11, 1865.

AT AN ELECTION FOR DIRECTORS, held at this office this day, the following gentlemen were elected for the ensuing year, viz:

LEONARD KIRBY, D. RANDOLPH MARTIN,
WILLIAM B. SKIDMORE, JOHN CASTREE,
AARON RUTHERFORD, HENRY ELSWORTH,
THOMAS PATON, CYRUS H. LOUTREL,
RUTSEN SUCKLEY, WILSON G. HUNT,
WM. A. FOWLER, DANIEL DREW,
DAVID WAGSTAFF, JAMES M. BENEDICT,
LAWRENCE M. LUTHER, JAMES C. GULICK,
THOMAS REED, O. W. BIRD,
DANIEL L. ROSS, GARDNER G. YVELIN,
WALTER W. PRICE, SAMUEL T. KNAPP,
GEORGE OPDYKE, HARVEY WEED,
NATHANIEL SMITH, JOHN L. RIKER,
B. THROCKMORTON, EDWIN B. LIVERMORE,
ROBERT McLAUGHLIN, THOMAS C. GOETCHIUS,
SAMUEL HANNA, JOHN KEYSER,
MOSES W. FISH, JOSEPH COLWELL,
JOHN HUSTACE, JOEL D. HUNTER,
AARON CLAFLIN, EFFINGHAM COCK,
CHAS. R. LUDINGTON, EZRA WHEELER,
FRED. LACEY, LYMAN M. JACOBUS,
THOMAS T. BUCKLEY, M. B. CARPENTER,
J. W. G. CLEMENTS, FRANCIS A. RAY,
WASHING'N L. COOPER, HALSEY W. KNAPP,
GEO. W. ELDER, JOHN J. MORRIS.

And at a subsequent meeting of the board, LEONARD KIRBY, Esq., was unanimously reelected President.

A. A. REEVES, Secretary.

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OFFICE OF THE STERLING FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY,
No. 6 WALL-ST., NEW-YORK, April 7, 1865.

AT A MEETING OF THE DIRECTORS of this Company, held this day, Mr. Dayton Ogden was unanimously elected President of the Company.

At the same meeting the following resolution was unanimously adopted:

*Resolved*, That this Board have heard with deep regret of the death of Archibald Gracie, their late President, and they sincerely sympathize with this family in their bereavement.

We cheerfully record our testimony to his uniform courtesy in his personal and official intercourse with us as members of this Board, and to his faithful and intelligent discharge of his duties as President.

It was also further

*Resolved*, That a copy of the foregoing resolution be sent to the family of the deceased, be entered upon the minutes of the meeting, and be published in the principal daily papers.

ANDREW L. SOULARD,
Secretary.

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H. F. CROZIER, GOLD AND SILVER Mining Broker, Rooms Nos. 13 and 14, No. 52 William-st., New-York. Two hundred gold-mining claims for sale, in Gilpin and Clear Creek Counties, Colorado. Titles perfect, from original preemptors. References:

Messrs. S. B. Chittenden & Co.,
James M. Benedict, Esq.,
Thos. L. Taylor, Esq.,
John R. Cecil, Esq., New-York.

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OFFICE OF THE "MONTROSS GOLD CO., OF COLORADO,"
NEW-YORK, April 8, 1865.

AN ADJOURNED ANNUAL MEETING OF the trustees and stockholders of this company will be held SATURDAY, April 15, 1865, at 12½ o'clock P. M., at the office of H. Woodruff, Room No. 106 Trinity Building, this city.

M. C. TYLER, President.
C. H. W. SIBLEY, Secretary.

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NOTICE.—THE DIRECTORS OF THE EAST River Bank have decided to agree to become a Banking Association under the laws of the United States.

WILLIAM S. GARMAN, Cashier.

MARCH 11, 1865.

## FINANCIAL.

# FISK & HATCH,

BANKERS,
AND

# U. S. 7-30 LOAN AGENTS

No. 38 Wall-st.,

have all denominations of

THE 7-30 NOTES

constantly on hand for

IMMEDIATE DELIVERY,

All Classes of

GOVERNMENT SECURITIES

bought and sold at market rates.

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ST. MARKS' FIRE INSURANCE CO.,
NO. 67 WALL-ST., NEW-YORK.

This company continues to insure on as favorable terms as any other Company. The capital and surplus being well secured on bond and mortgage and public stocks.

JOHN M. FERRIER, President.
WASHINGTON POST, Secretary.

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STATE OF MASSACHUSETTS 5 PER CENT. COUPON BONDS, DUE IN 1894.

INTEREST AND PRINCIPAL PAYABLE IN GOLD.

APPLY TO BLAKE BROS. & CO.,
NO. 11 WALL-STREET.

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COAL AT COST.

CONSUMERS' BENEFIT COAL COMPANY.
SHARES, $10.

Each share entitles the holder to one ton of coal per year, at the cost of mining, transportation and delivery, which is now about $6 per ton; also to a share of the profits on the sale of coal produced beyond the quantity supplied to shareholders.

Those who buy for investment can have the coal they will be entitled to sold for their benefit, and receive the proceeds over the cost in cash.

Investment in this stock is not a risk, for anthracite coal lands are rapidly rising in value.

The shares to be sold are limited, and are nearly all subscribed for. Immediate application is necessary to secure any. Office, No. 71 Broadway, Room No. 50.

TRUSTEES:
JOHN ANDERSON, No. 413 5th-av.
Hon. C. GODFREY GUNTHER, Mayor of New-York.
Hon. ORESTES CLEVELAND, Mayor of Jersey City.
Hon. ALFRED M. WOOD, Mayor of Brooklyn.
CHARLES JENKINS, President of East River Bank.
JOHN L. DOUGLASS, Secretary Merchants' Ins. Co.
JOHN C. ANDERSON, No. 106 Broadway.
WM. P. STANDISH, Coal Dealer, No. 71 Broadway.
CHAS. H. APPLEGATE, C. H. Applegate & Bro.

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TREASURY DEPARTMENT,
OFFICE OF COMPTROLLER OF THE CURRENCY,
WASHINGTON, April 1, 1865.

WHEREAS, BY SATISFACTORY EVIDENCE presented to the undersigned, it has been made to appear that "THE SAINT NICHOLAS NATIONAL BANK OF NEW-YORK," in the City of New-York, in the County of New-York and State of New-York, has been duly organized under and according to the requirements of the act of Congress, entitled "An Act to provide a National Currency, secured by a pledge of United States bonds, and to provide for the circulation and redemption thereof," approved June 3, 1864, and has complied with all the provisions of said act required to be complied with before commencing the business of banking under said act.

Now, therefore, I, Freeman Clarke, Comptroller of the Currency, do hereby certify that "THE SAINT NICHOLAS NATIONAL BANK OF NEW-YORK," in the City of New-York, in the County of New-York and State of New-York, is authorized to commence the business of banking under the act aforesaid.

In testimony whereof, witness my hand and seal (L. S.) of office this first day of April, 1865.

(Signed) F. CLARKE, Comptroller of Currency.

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TO THE STOCKHOLDERS OF THE CORN EXCHANGE INSURANCE COMPANY OF THE CITY OF NEW-YORK:

Whereas, William Barnes, Esq., Superintendent of the Insurance Department of the State of New-York, having personally examined into the condition and affairs of this company, has determined that the capital of one hundred thousand dollars is impaired to the extent of fifty (50) per cent thereof, and has directed the officers of said company to require its stockholders to pay in the amount of such deficiency within sixty (60) days from the second day of April, 1865.

Now, therefore, in pursuance of such requisition, and by virtue of the statute in such case made and provided, the stockholders of this company are called upon for the amount requisite to make its capital equal to the amount fixed by the charter of said company, and are required to pay in at the office of the said company, No. 157 Broadway, in the City of New-York, on or before the first day of June, 1865, the sum of twenty-five dollars on each and every share of the stock of said company, amounting in the aggregate to the sum of two hundred thousand dollars, the amount of the deficiency above stated on the capital stock of said company.

Dated New-York, April 7, 1865.

JAMES D. SPARKMAN, President.
W. H. WINDSOR, Secretary.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, PURSUANT to the statute in such case made and provided, that A meeting of the stockholders of the BLACK HAWK GOLD MINING COMPANY will be held at the office of the said company, No. 81 John-st., in the City of New-York, on Wednesday, the third day of May, 1865, at 12 o'clock, noon; that the object of said meeting is to take such proceedings as are required by law to diminish the capital stock of said company; and that the amount to which it is proposed to reduce the said capital stock is the sum of two million five hundred thousand dollars.

Dated at the City of New-York, April 6, 1865, and signed by a majority of the trustees of said company.

(Signed,
F. H. JUDD,
WM. G. ANGELL,
WM. L. LEE,
J. J. EAGLETON,
HIRAM B. CROSBY,
EDWIN G. ANGELL,
JOHN WINSLOW,
} Trustees.

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NOTICE—AT THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE stockholders of the MINESOTA MINING COMPANY, held on the 15th ult., the following gentlemen were elected directors for the ensuing year, viz:

JOSEPH RUDD, President; JAMES STOKES, URIAH HENDRICKS, (in place of Wm. Pearsall, resigned,) ALBERT G. LEE, WM. F. BUCKLEY, and JAMES C. HARRIOTT.

SAMUEL M. POND, Secretary.

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OFFICE OF THE MINESOTA MINING COMPANY,
No. 12 PINE-ST., NEW-YORK, April 6, 1865.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT IN ACCORDANCE with a resolution of stockholders, passed at meeting as above, and by resolution of the Board of Directors, adopted the 5th inst., an assessment of Five Dollars per share has been levied upon the capital stock of this company, payable at their office, on the 20th inst., with interest thereafter. The transfer books will close on the 19th inst., after which, no transfer of stock will be made on which assessments are unpaid.

SAMUEL M. POND, Treasurer.

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OFFICE OF THE CHICAGO AND ALTON RAILROAD CO.,
CHICAGO, April 3, 1865.

AT A MEETING OF THE BOND AND Stockholders of the Chicago and Alton Railroad Company, held at their offices, this day, the following gentlemen were elected Directors, to fill the vacancies created by the amended charter, viz:

GEORGE TALBOT OLYPHANT, of New-York City.
JOHN A. STEWART, of New-York City.
JOHN V. FARWELL, of Chicago, Ill.

The Board, as at present constituted, consists of

Albert Havemeyer, George A. Robbins, John A. Stewart and George Talbot Olyphant, of New-York City; T. B. Blackstone, John B. Drake, John Crerar and John V. Farwell, of Chicago; and John J. Mitchell, of Alton, Ill.

W. M. LARRABEE, Secretary.

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WINSLOW, LANIER & CO.,
BANKERS,
No. 52 Wall-street,
Agents for the sale of the
U. S. 7-30 LOAN.

All denominations on hand for immediate delivery. Subscriptions received, and the usual discount allowed to banks and bankers.

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OFFICE OF THE CHICAGO AND ALTON RAILROAD CO.,
No. 50 EXCHANGE-PLACE, COR. BROAD-ST.,
NEW-YORK, March 9, 1865.

CHICAGO AND ALTON RAILROAD FIRST MORTGAGE SINKING FUND BONDS.—Notice is hereby given that we have this day designated, by lot, seventeen bonds, numbered as follows: 8, 557, 289, 539, 415, 15, 227, 168, 401, 379, 545, 445, 151, 254, 221, 412, 499, for redemption.

According to the terms of the mortgage, interest thereon will cease May 1, 1865. The undersigned are ready to pay them, with interest, so far as accrued, on presentation and surrender.

S. J. TILDEN, No. 12 Wall-st.,
L. H. MEYER, No. 48 Exchange-place,
Trustees.

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OFFICE OF THE DELAWARE AND HUDSON CANAL CO.,
NEW-YORK, April 8, 1865.

THE ANNUAL ELECTION FOR MANAGERS of this company will be held at its office, No. 1 Nassau-st., on TUESDAY, the 9th day of May next. The poll will be open from 12 o'clock noon until 2 o'clock P. M. The transfer books will be closed from the 28th day of April to the 8th day of May next, both days inclusive. By order of the board,

ISAAC N. SEYMOUR, Treasurer.

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No. 32 PINE-ST.,
NEW-YORK, April 6, 1865.

A SPECIAL MEETING OF STOCKHOLDERS OF THE ARIZONA MINING COMPANY will be held at this office, on WEDNESDAY, April 19, at 2 o'clock P. M. Important business will be brought before the meeting. By order,

J. R. RANDOL, Secretary.

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OFFICE OF THE JAMAICA AND ROCKAWAY TURNPIKE COMPANY, JAMAICA, April 10, 1865.

AN ELECTION FOR THIRTEEN DIRECTORS and for three Inspectors of the next election for this company will be held at the hotel of F. Mc Hugh, in the village of Jamaica, on WEDNESDAY next, May 3. The polls will open at 12 o'clock M., and close at 1 P. M.

ROBERT STEELE, Secretary.

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ORIENTAL BANK, NEW-YORK, April 10, 1865.

THE ANNUAL ELECTION FOR DIRECTORS, and Inspectors for the next ensuing election, will be held on TUESDAY, April 25, at the Banking-house, corner of Bowery and Grand-sts. Polls open from 12 M. to 1 P. M. By order,

W. A. HALL, Cashier.

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50 SHARES OF STOCK IN ONE OF THE established Express Companies for sale at a bargain. This stock is paying 3¼ per cent. quarterly, with a large reserve. Address, with full name and address, W. E. C., Station D.

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QUARTERMASTERS' AND NAVY AGENTS vouchers purchased by WALDEN, WILLARD & McILVAINE, No. 13 Broad-st.

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COMMISSIONER FOR NEW-JERSEY and other States—No. 5 Beekman-st., Room No. 3, first floor over Park Bank.

## FINANCIAL.

WAGSTAFF & GOETCHIUS,
NO. 11 BROADWAY, ROOM NO. 32,
OIL STOCKS

BOUGHT AND SOLD ON COMMISSION, AT PRIVATE SALE AND AT THE NEW-YORK PETROLEUM STOCK BOARD.

The prices of some of the best Petroleum Stocks are yet very low, and offer the most promising inducements for investment of any other security, both as to the AMOUNT OF DIVIDENDS and the ADVANCE IN THE PRICE of the stock.

Stocks of established worth can now be purchased at prices which will give the purchaser over THREE PER CENT. PER MONTH on his investment.

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MOORE & BROWN,
BANKERS AND BROKERS,
No. 31 Nassau-st., New-York,
DEALERS IN ALL KINDS OF
GOVERNMENT SECURITIES.

SIX PER CENT. CERTIFICATES OF INDEBTEDNESS, GOVERNMENT VOUCHERS, 5-20, 10-40 1881 BONDS bought and sold on the most favorable terms.

AGENTS FOR
THE HIGHLY POPULAR
U. S. 7-30 LOAN.

Subscriptions received, deliverable to any part of the country free of expense, and on hand

FOR IMMEDIATE DELIVERY.

Stocks negotiated at private sale or the Board of Brokers.

INTEREST ALLOWED ON DEPOSITS.
HENRY T. MOORE, E. JAMES BROWN

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WALDEN, WILLARD & McILVAINE,
NO. 13 BROAD-ST.,
DEALERS IN GOVERNMENT SECURITIES
AND PETROLEUM STOCKS.

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BROWN BROTHERS & CO.,
NO. 59 WALL-ST.,
ISSUE COMMERCIAL AND TRAVELERS' CREDITS
FOR USE IN THE COUNTRY
AND ABROAD.

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OFFICE WELLS, FARGO & CO., No. 84 BROADWAY,
NEW-YORK, Oct. 26, 1864.

TELEGRAPH TRANSFERS OF MONEY TO CALIFORNIA AND OREGON made, and Exchange on

SAN FRANCISCO,
LONDON,
DUBLIN and
PARIS.

For sale by

WELLS, FARGO & CO.

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1865.
ATLANTIC MUTUAL INSURANCE SCRIP
OF 1865
BOUGHT AND SOLD BY
WM. C. GILMAN,
No. 46 Pine-st., corner of William-st.

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QUARTERLY REPORT OF THE MECHANICS' BANKING ASSOCIATION, on SATURDAY, the 25th day of March, 1865:

RESOURCES.

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| Loans and Discounts | $1,087,710 12 |
| Overdrafts | 56 00 |
| Due from Banks | 51,099 63 |
| Due from the Directors of the Bank | $153,111 94 |
| Due from Brokers | 309,953 66 |
| Specie | 112,399 06 |
| Cash Items, viz: Bills and Checks on other Banks, Exchanges | 2,553,008 14 |
| Stocks, $319,950 00; Promissory and United States 7 3-10 Notes and Indebtedness Certificates, $454,838 47 | 774,829 37 |
| Bonds and Mortgages | 2,780 00 |
| Bills of Solvent Banks and United States Legal Tender Notes | 565,776 00 |
| Loss and Expense Account | 18,133 75 |
| Total | $6,161,301 47 |

LIABILITIES.

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| Capital | $500,000 00 |
| Circulation registered | $15,161 00 |
| Less notes on hand | 845 00— 14,316 00 |
| Profits | 136,740 84 |
| Due to Banks | 735,320 37 |
| Due depositors on demand | 4,771,502 97 |
| Amount due, not included under either of the above heads—Undaimed Dividends | 3,421 29 |
| Total | $6,161,301 47 |

*State of New-York, County of New-York, ss.*—JAMES H. FONDA, President, and FRANKLIN CHANDLER, Cashier of the Mechanics' Banking Association, located and doing business at New-York City, in said county, being duly and severally sworn, each for himself, saith that the foregoing is, in all respects, a true statement of the condition of the said bank, before the transaction of any business on the morning of Saturday, the twenty-fifth day of March, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-five, in respect to each and every of the items and particulars above specified, according to the best of his knowledge and belief; and that the business of the said bank has been and is transacted at the location aforesaid.

J. H. FONDA, President.
F. CHANDLER, Cashier.

Severally subscribed and sworn by both deponents, the 12th day of April, 1865. WM. T. FARNHAM,
[Stamp.] Notary Public.

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OFFICE OF CAMDEN AND AMBOY RAILROAD AND TRANSPORTATION COMPANY, BORDENTOWN, March 28, 1865.—The annual meeting of the Stockholders of the Camden and Amboy Railroad and Transportation Company will be held at the Company's office, in Bordentown, on FRIDAY, 28th of April, 1865, for the election of seven directors to serve for the ensuing year.

SAMUEL J. BAYARD,
Sec'y of Camden & Amboy R. R. and Trans. Co.

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TRADESMEN'S BANK, NEW-YORK, March 17, 1865.

THE DIRECTORS OF THIS BANK, having unanimously decided to convert the same into an association under the laws of the United States, notice is hereby given to that effect, in accordance with section three of the Enabling Act of this State.

ANTHONY HALSEY Cashier.

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OFFICE UNION PACIFIC R. R. Co.,
No. 13 WILLIAM-ST., NEW-YORK, April 10, 1865.

TO THE STOCKHOLDERS.—TAKE NOTICE—That a call has this day been made on the stockholders of this company for an installment of five per cent., payable on or before the 15th of May next.

CHAS. TUTTLE, Secretary.

## DIVIDENDS.

OFFICE OF THE HEYDRICK BROTHERS OIL COMPANY, No. 80 BROADWAY, Room No. 41,
NEW-YORK, April 10, 1865.

THE TRUSTEES OF THE COMPANY have this day declared a Dividend of Three per Cent., (free of government tax,) on their capital stock, payable on and after April 20, to stockholders of record on the 15th inst.

The transfer books will be closed from April 15 to the 21st, inclusive.

CHARLES R. BRAINE, Secretary.

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TWELFTH MONTHLY DIVIDEND.

The Trustees of the Central Petroleum Company have this day declared a dividend of One Per Cent. on their capital of $5,000,000, payable on the 15th inst. at the office of the company, No. 10 Pine-st. The transfer books will be closed from the 10th to the 16th inst., inclusive.

JAMES BISHOP, President.
WED W. CLARKE, Secretary.

By order of the Board of Trustees, future dividends of the Central Petroleum Company will be declared quarterly, instead of monthly.

WED W. CLARKE, Secretary.

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TWENTY-EIGHTH DIVIDEND.

OFFICE OF THE GROCERS FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, No. 76 Wall-st.,
NEW-YORK, April 6, 1865.

The Board of Directors have this day declared a dividend of five (5) per cent. on the Capital Stock of the Company, payable on demand, free of government tax.

J. G. PLATT, Secretary.

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OFFICE OF THE CLEVELAND AND TOLEDO RAILROAD COMPANY, CLEVELAND, Ohio, March 27, 1865.

DIVIDEND NOTICE.—AT A MEETING OF the directors of this company, held this day, a Dividend of Five (5) Per Cent. was declared, payable to the stockholders, free of Government tax, on the 26th day of April next, and until the 25th day of May, at the Continental Bank, New-York. After which said Dividend will be payable at the company's office in Cleveland.

The transfer books will close on the 18th day of April next, at 3 o'clock P. M., and remain closed until the 26th day of April, at 10 o'clock A. M.

By order of the Directors. H. C. LUCE, Treasurer.

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OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH, FORT WAYNE AND CHICAGO RAILWAY COMPANY,
PITTSBURGH, March 17, 1865.

DIVIDEND NOTICE.—AT A MEETING OF the Board of Directors of the Pittsburgh, Fort Wayne and Chicago Railway Company, held on the 16th inst., the regular dividend of Two and One-half (2½) Per Cent. on the capital stock for the quarter ending March 31st inst., was declared, payable free of Government tax, on and after April 17th prox., by the Treasurer to shareholders registered at Pittsburgh, and by Messrs. Winslow, Lanier & Co., No. 52 Wall-st., to shareholders registered at New-York. The transfer books will close March 31st inst., and will reopen April 17th prox. By order of the Board.

F. M. HUTCHINSON, Secretary.

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OFFICE OF THE EAGLE FIRE COMPANY,
No. 71 WALL-ST.,
NEW-YORK, April 5, 1865.

A SEMI-ANNUAL DIVIDEND OF SEVEN and one half (7½) per cent., free of government tax, has this day been declared payable on demand.

By order of the Board of Directors.

A. J. CLINTON, Secretary.

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OFFICE OF THE NORTH AMERICAN FIRE INS. Co.,
No. 114 BROADWAY, NEW-YORK, April 4, 1865.

THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THIS company have this day declared a semi-annual dividend of Four (4) Per Cent., free of government tax, payable on demand.

R. W. BLEECKER, Sec'y.

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GLOBE FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY,
Corner Greenwich and Fulton sts.,
NEW-YORK, April 5, 1865.

THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS HAVE this day declared a Dividend of Five (5) per Cent. free from government tax, payable on and after the 10th of April last. Transfer books will be closed until that date.

ALFRED A. REEVES, Secretary.

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OFFICE OF THE FULTON FIRE INSURANCE Co.,
No. 172 Broadway, N. Y., April 11, 1865.

THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS HAVE this day declared a Dividend of Five per Cent., payable on and after the 15th inst.

JAMES M. RANKIN, Secretary.

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DIVIDEND NOTICE.—THE INTERNATIONAL INSURANCE COMPANY, have declared a Dividend of Five per Cent. upon the capital stock, payable on May 1, free of Government tax, at their office, No. 173 Broadway. Transfer books close on the 15th inst. C. C. HINE, Secretary.

## DIVIDENDS.

OFFICE OF THE
COMMONWEALTH FIRE INS. CO.,
No. 151 BROADWAY, New-York, April 5, 1865.

THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS HAVE this day declared a dividend of Five Per Cent., payable, free of government tax, on and after the 15th inst. Transfer books will be closed from 10th to 15th inst., inclusive.

GEO. T. HAWS, Secretary.

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SAVINGS BANKS.

ATLANTIC SAVINGS BANK,
CHATHAM-SQUARE, NEW-YORK.
OPEN DAILY.
SIX PER CENT. INTEREST ALLOWED.

Deposits made now, or on or before April 20, will draw interest from April 1.

M. D. VAN PELT, President.
CHARLES D. BAILEY, Treasurer.
JOSEPH P. COOPER, Secretary.

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CITIZENS' SAVINGS BANK,
BOWERY, CORNER OF CANAL-ST.

SIX PER CENT. INTEREST allowed on all sums of $500 and under, and five per cent. on larger amounts.

MONEY DEPOSITED ON OR BEFORE APRIL 20 WILL DRAW INTEREST FROM APRIL 1.

Bank open daily from 10 to 3, and on MONDAY, WEDNESDAY and FRIDAY EVENINGS, from 5 to 7.

Bank-books in English, German and French.

GEO. FULSOM, President.
SEYMOUR A. BUNCE, Secretary.

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SIX PER CENT.—FREE FROM GOVERNMENT TAX.

THIRD-AVENUE SAVINGS BANK,
corner Third-avenue and Twenty-sixth-street.
PRESENT DEPOSITS, $1,678,000.

SIX PER CENT. interest paid on all sums from $1 to $1,000 free from Government tax.

All moneys deposited on or before April 19 will draw interest from the 1st.

BANK OPEN DAILY from 10 A. M. to 3 P. M., and on MONDAY, WEDNESDAY and SATURDAY EVENINGS from 6 to 8 o'clock.

SPENCER K. GREEN, President.
RICHARD KELLY, Secretary.

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UNION DIME SAVINGS BANK.
Nos. 427 and 429 Canal-st., corner of Varick.
ASSETS, $1,315,570 15.

Open daily from 10 A. M. to 3 P. M., and on MONDAY, WEDNESDAY and SATURDAY EVENINGS, from 5 to 7. SIX PER CENT. interest, free from Government tax, allowed on sums of $500 and under, and FIVE per cent. on larger sums. Money deposited on or before April 20 will bear interest from April 1.

MOSES Y. BAUGHWOUT, President.
GARDNER S. CHAPIN, Secretary.

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NEW-YORK SAVINGS BANK, CORNER 14th-st. and 8th-av. Open daily from 10 to 3 P. M.; Wednesdays and Saturdays from 1 to 7 P. M. Six per cent. interest, free from government tax. Deposits made on or before April 20 will draw interest at once.

THOMAS CHRISTY, Pres't. S. H. BULL, Sec'y.

## PETROLEUM.

THE SUGAR CREEK PETROLEUM COMPANY,
ORGANIZED UNDER THE LAWS OF NEW-YORK.
CAPITAL, $250,000,
IN 50,000 FULL PAID SHARES OF $5 EACH.
WORKING CAPITAL, 6,000 SHARES.

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| President | CHARLES G JUDSON |
| Vice-President | J. L. EVERITT |
| Treasurer | CHARLES GOULD |
| Secretary | EDMUND C. STEDMAN |
| Superintendent | TRUMAN K. FULLER |

TRUSTEES:
CHARLES GOULD, No. 58 Wall-st., New-York.
CHARLES G. JUDSON, Sawyer & Judson, Nos. 84 and 86 Chambers-st., New-York.
EDMUND C. STEDMAN, E. C. Stedman & Co., No. 57 Exchange-place, New-York.
TRUMAN K. FULLER, Rouseville, Penn.
HENRY A. CHADWICK, Sykes, Chadwick & Co., Willard's Hotel, Washington, D. C.
GEORGE H. MUMFORD, Rochester, N. Y.
FRANCIS A. HILLARD, No. 58 Wall-st., New-York.
J. L. EVERITT, Cashier of Broadway Bank, N. Y.

Ten wells are now going down on the company's property, in the richest portion of the famous Sugar Creek Valley. There is room for 40 more.

The trustees will refrain from lengthy advertisement of the prospects of the SUGAR CREEK PETROLEUM COMPANY, and content themselves with pointing to the features which distinguish it from many enterprises of the day. THE STOCK IS NOT WATERED. The projectors depend for their profits solely on a RISE IN ITS MARKET PRICE.

But a few thousand shares will be sold, and these on the only honest basis, viz., AT THEIR PAR VALUE.

The company's property is worth more than the entire capital stock. The latter is so small, indeed, that even a ten-barrel well will pay regular monthly dividends. The Sugar Creek Wells are but half as expensive, and the oil is twice as valuable as the wells and oil either of Oil Creek or Cherry Run. Prospectuses and Maps can be obtained, and subscriptions effected, by application to CHARLES G. JUDSON, No. 84 Chambers-st; CHARLES GOULD, No. 58 Wall-st; J. L. EVERITT, Broadway Bank, or to either of the trustees.

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APRIL 1, 1865.

The firm of LIVERMORE, CLEWS & CO. is this day dissolved, Mr. C. F. LIVERMORE retiring from business.

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The business of the late firm of LIVERMORE, CLEWS & CO., will be continued by the remaining partners, under the style of HENRY CLEWS & CO.

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From Pier No. 45, North River, at noon.
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HIBERNIA.....SATURDAY, April 29
VIRGINIA.....SATURDAY, May 6

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**ANNIVERSARIES.**
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**PUBLIC NOTICE.**
NOTICE TO TAX PAYERS.—OFFICE OF the Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments, No. 32 Chambers-st., New-York, January 7, 1865.
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## BRIG.-GEN. WINTHROP.

### His Funeral Service—Grand Military Demonstration—Sketch of his Life.

Brevet Brig.-Gen. FREDERICK WINTHROP, a gallant officer of the Army of the Potomac, was killed at the battle of Five Forks, near Petersburgh, Va., on the 1st instant, and buried with fitting ceremony in Trinity Church-yard, yesterday afternoon. In pursuance of orders from headquarters the Seventy-first, Twelfth and Twenty-second regiments were detailed as escort for the remains of the deceased and formed near Union-square at 1 o'clock. At the residence of Gen. WINTHROP'S parents, in Fourteenth-street, a large assemblage of near friends met early in the afternoon and participated in the solemn services which were led by Rev. Dr. SEABURY, the Pastor of the church whereat the deceased was wont to attend. At the conclusion of these ceremonies the more public testimonies of esteem and respect were manifested, the coffin being placed in the hearse, and the grand procession formed in line. A more imposing cortège has rarely been seen on Broadway, and the silent swords which uncovered as it mournfully moved along, regarded with an affectionate interest the enfolded coffin, which contained all that was left of him who but a few days since was the light of a loving home, and the pride of a fighting host.

THE PALL-BEARERS

were men of whom the country has reason to be proud, men who have fought under the true flag and received stout blows in its behalf. Their names are:

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| Brig.-Gen. Warren, | Brig.-Gen. Morris, |
| Brig.-Gen. Sweeny, | Brig.-Gen. Van Vliet, |
| Lieut.-Col. Clitz, | Lieut.-Col. O'Beirne, |
| Lieut.-Col. King, | Capt. Bills. |

Accompanying these veteran soldiers of the Republic were a large number of officers of the army and navy, and very many of our most respected citizens. The street was cleared of vehicles of every description, and the procession marched to the grand music of the regimental band down toward old Trinity.

AT THE CHURCH

the crowd was immense. Capt. HELM, with Sergt. GARLAND and fifteen men, had their hands full to keep the outer way clear; while the church itself was thronged to excess, with the exception of the pews in the middle aisle, which were reserved for the friends of the family. Officer WUCKES, of the Twenty-seventh Precinct, was stationed in the church to keep the aisle free from intruding visitors, while Mr. PLACE, at the vestry door, was fairly overwhelmed by ladies, who insisted upon getting in.

At a little after 5 o'clock the hearse reached the church of the Rev. Dr. CUTLER, and his admirable choir had taken their stations. Rev. Dr. MORGAN DIX, Rev. Dr. VINTON, Rev. Dr. OGILBY, and Rev. Dr. SEABURY walked to the vestibule to receive the remains; while the solemn tones of the organ thrilled the house, and the entire congregation arose. Intoning the initiatory portion of the service, Rev. Dr. DIX preceded the coffin and the procession up the broad aisle. The body was inclosed in a handsome rosewood coffin, lined with lead, and wrapped in the American flag, upon which were laid wreaths of flowers of purest white.

After the lesson, which was sung antiphonally by the choir, Rev. Dr. VINTON read the service, which was followed by CUTLER'S service in G minor. The scene was an impressive one. The full attendance of the clergy, the choristers in their robes of white, the silent coffin upon the tressels, the presence of a brilliant staff of officers, the bereaved mourners, and the vast sympathizing audience, formed a picture of dramatic intensity not often seen.

IN THE CHURCHYARD,

the DEPEYSTER'S family vault was opened, and drawn up on one side were Companies B and F of the Seventy-first Regiment, under charge of Capt. UNDERHILL, detailed as the firing party. At the close of the solemn services in the church the coffin, accompanied by the pall-bearers and preceded by the clergymen and the choir, was taken to the vault. Here too a scene pregnant with beauty and sadness was displayed. From a score of flagstaffs drooped at half-mast the national colors, in the street stood the escorting regiments, on the sidewalks thronged the multitude, all eyes intent upon the official group at the grave, and the narrow box in which lay the mortal part of young WINTHROP. After the service appropriate to the occasion had been read by Rev. Dr. VINTON, with responses by the choir, the coffin was lowered, and the order given to the troops to load at will. Three volleys were fired in honor of the dead, and to a quickstep his old companions marched away into the street again crowded with bustling men and noisy carts.

It will be interesting to our readers to know that

GEN. FREDERICK WINTHROP

was a native of this city, born in 1839, and entered the ranks of the famous Seventy-first in April 1861. His conduct on the field at the battle of Bull Run was conspicuous for coolness and gallantry, and insured him a Captaincy in the Twelfth Regiment Regular Infantry. He at once proceeded to raise his company and organize the same at Fort Hamilton, New-York Harbor, and with the first battalion of his regiment, joined the Army of the Potomac on the 11th of April, 1862. From that time until the day of his death, he was on duty with that army, participating in all its famous battles.

Conspicuous in every action for his intelligence, cool courage and determination, he won for himself not only the love and respect of his comrades, but the commendation and esteem of his Commanders. He rose steadily from one position to another, until he reached the grade of Brevet Brigadier-General, which rank he held at the time he so nobly sacrificed his life on the field of battle to save a friend.

From private in the ranks to General commanding a brigade, his record has been stainless. Participating in all the principal battles fought in the East, his conduct in each was worthy of the man who in the heat of battle could die as he did in an act of quiet heroism and noble self sacrifice. He was a splendid soldier, skilful, gallant, cool and accomplished.

But those who knew him simply as a soldier were ignorant of the things that most endeared him to a multitude of friends. How many who served with him in the army of the Potomac or who met him in his few brief intervals of recreation will mournfully remember his kind genial manner, his generous love of pleasure, his frankhearted bearing and gentle courtesy in act and word, long after the victory with which his name is connected shall have become a tradition in the land.

MEETING OF TOBACCO FACTORS, DEALERS, &C.—The adjourned meeting of the tobacco trade was held yesterday, at which the committee appointed to frame a memorial to the Secretary of the Treasury presented a report. The memorial drawn up by the committee asks the government to modify the plan it has adopted in the sale of confiscated tobacco—such sales tending greatly to injure the trade of private dealers—and that all manufactured tobacco seized and confiscated by government, and hereafter sold for its account, shall be bonded by the purchasers, to be subject to the duty imposed by law, unless afterward removed from bond for export.

## LAW REPORTS.

### Court Calendar—THIS DAY.

SUPREME COURT—CIRCUIT.—*Part I.*—Nos. 1362, 1923, 1925, 1929, 1931, 1933, 1935, 1937, 1941, 1943, 1945, 1947, 1949, 1953, 1957, 1959, 1961, 1963, 1965, 1969. *Part II.*—Nos. 1822, 1824, 1834, 1844, 1864, 1866, 1868, 1870, 1872, 1874, 1876, 1878, 1880, 1884, 1886, 1888, 1890, 1892, 1894, 1896. *Part III.*—Nos. 1419, 1416, 1420, 1421, 1422, 1423, 1612, 1454, 1502, 389, 1044, 1093, 990, 1057, 1464, 883, 905, 1853, 1587, 1658.

SUPREME COURT—SPECIAL TERM—Nos. 94, 198, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 187, 189, 190, 193, 194, 195, 196, 197, 199, 200, 201, 163, 243.

SUPERIOR COURT—*Part I.*—Nos. 4885, 5775, 5047, 5051, 4993, 4905, 5095, 5097, 5099, 5101, 5103, 5105, 5109, 5111, 5113. *Part II.*—Nos. 5022, 5674, 5006, 4910, 4942, 4366, 4996, 4936, 3190, 4978, 5190, 572, 764, 5018, 5004.

COMMON PLEAS—*Part I.*—Short Causes—Nos. 224, 1323. *Part II.*—Adjourned for the term.

### Important Decision—The City of New-York Liable for Damages Resulting from Defective Piers.

COMMON PLEAS—TRIAL TERM.

Before Judge Cardozo and a Jury.

*Wm. R. Wilson, administrator, &c., vs. The Mayor of New-York, &c.*—The plaintiff in the action sued the Corporation of the city to recover the sum of $5,000, alleged to have been sustained under the following circumstances, namely: The plaintiff is the next of kin of Wm. E. Wilson, a lad who met his death on the 24 day of August, 1863, by accidentally falling through a large hole on Pier No. 64, at the foot of Fifth-street, E. R. The action is brought by virtue of the statute of 1846 of this State. The testimony on benalf of the plaintiff went to show that on Sunday, the 2d day of August, 1863, the lad went with several of his companions to the pier named; that his companions there went in swimming, and he remained in charge of their clothes, which were left on a canal-boat near the pier. When young Wilson was returning to his home after dark, in passing over this pier, he fell through a hole six feet in length and twenty inches wide, which had been made on the Thursday before, and was drowned.

The evidence further showed that the pier in question had been leased to Mr. Geo. Brown, and was held and used by the latter, but the city had the right to use a portion of it for the purpose of dumping dirt. There was no proof that the lad knew of the hole in the pier; on the contrary, several witnesses testified that he had not been there during the preceding week; that he was habitually afraid of going into the water, and never indulged in bathing. His salary at the time of his death was $2 50 per week. When the plaintiff rested his case, the counsel for the city moved to dismiss the complaint on the ground:

*First*—That by the plaintiff's own showing, the deceased boy had been guilty of negligence, he having ventured to walk on the pier after dark, without using that ordinary care and caution which was required of a person to exercise before he can sue a Court of Justice to indemnify him for injuries of this nature.

*Second*—That there is, and was, at the time of young Wilson's death, a corporation ordinance forbidding all persons to bathe within certain prescribed limits; that deceased was within those limits at the time, and was there adding and abetting others in violating that ordinance; and that by a well-known principle of law, he could not avail himself of his own wrongful acts.

*Third*—That if any one was liable for the death of the lad Wilson, Mr. Brown, the lessee of the pier, was the person to whom, in law, the plaintiff must look for redress.

The Court overruled each and every of these propositions, and decided that the questions involved were purely those of fact for the jury. The charge of the Judge was in substance that the defendants had not shown any negligence on the part of the boy; that the city was liable for the resulting damages if they either had notice of the breaking of the pier, or if such time had elapsed between the breaking of it and the time of the accident as to raise a reasonable presumption of notice, and that the measure of damages for the jury to consider, was the pecuniary loss, past, present and prospective of the next of kin, who was the plaintiff in the action. The jury were directed to bring in a sealed verdict this morning. For plaintiff, Mr. F. F. Marbury; for defendants, Mr. Hackett.

### A Desperate Character sent to the State Prison.

William Jones alias Jack Sheppard was brought up for trial upon a charge of grand larceny. By advice of his counsel, Jones pleaded guilty to the indictment. In sentencing him, His Honor said that few who saw the prisoner would imagine that his character was so notoriously bad, and that he had been many times arrested for grave crimes. The sentence of the Court was that Jones be confined in the State Prison for four years and six months.

After hearing his sentence, Jones shook his head defiantly at Judge Hoffman and said, "I'll never go there," at the same time he attempted to break away from the officers. The gentlemanly and efficient officers of the Court of Sessions picked the prisoner up as if he had been a baby, and in spite of his struggles double ironed him in a moment. On his way up to the Tombs, in charge of the officers, the prisoner met Justice Dowling, who had been mainly instrumental in bringing this noted thief to justice, and who is held in particular dislike by the criminals of this city generally. Jones instantly made a rush for the judge, but being restrained by the officer, he assailed His Honor with abusive and obscene language. Jones is only 21 years of age, but has been arrested five or six times before, and has served one term of two years in the State Prison.

### Criminal Business.

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

Before Recorder Hoffman.

Owen Clark was tried yesterday morning for grand larceny, the indictment charging him with stealing a horse and wagon.

*Mr. Andrew J. Hennion* testified that he resided at Greenpoint, but did business in this city. On the 1st of April he left his horse and wagon in Lewis-street for a few moments, from which place he was driven off by some unknown person. Witness found his property in the afternoon of the same day in the possession of the prisoner. When arrested, prisoner said that he took the horse and wagon away from some boys and was bringing it back to Mr. Hennion. The witnesses for the defence gave the prisoner an excellent character. The prisoner was acquitted.

Assistant District-Attorney Robert C. Hutchings for the people.

Alice Allen pleaded guilty of an attempt at grand larceny, and was sent to the penitentiary for one year.

Patrick Hagan pleaded guilty to passing counterfeit money, and was sent to the States Prison for two years. The Court then adjourned until this morning.

### Supreme Court Decisions—APRIL 12.

By Justice Barnard.

Dyckman *vs.* Valentine.—The order of the 23d of February, 1865, signed by me, must be amended as stated in the opinion.

Finch *vs.* Geers.—The motion is granted upon plaintiff's paying to the defendant all his cost, &c.

Smith *vs.* Beeson.—Upon the plaintiff stipulating to receive $180 in full satisfaction, &c., the motion is denied, without costs. If the plaintiff will not so stipulate [then the default is opened; judgment and execution to stand.

John McAdam *vs.* Wm. McAdam.—Motion denied.

### Common Pleas Decision.

By Judge Cardozo.

Carson *vs.* The Tradesmen's Bank.—Case settled. Wells *vs.* Cox.—The order is settled.

## MONETARY AFFAIRS.

**Sales at the Stock Exchange—APRIL 12, 1865.**

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| $16,650 U. S. 6s, '81..C. | 108¾ | 300 | N. Y. Cen. R. | | 102 |
| 20,000 U.S.6s,5-20s..C. | 103⅝ | 600 | do | s10 | 101 |
| 400 do | s3 | 101¾ | 600 | do | s3 | 101¾ |
| 2,000 U.S.5s,10-40s..C. | 93 | 600 | do | s30 | 101¾ |
| 20,000 do | s3 | 93¾ | 630 | do | s3 | 101¾ |
| 20,000 do | s3 | 93¾ | 300 | do | s30 | 101¾ |
| 1,000 U.S. 6s, 1 Yr. Cer. | 99 | 1000 | Erie Railway | | 68¾ |
| 5,000 do | s3 | 98¾ | 100 | do | s10 | 69 |
| 10,000 Tenn. 6s, '90 | 62 | 1000 | do | | 68¾ |
| 5,000 do | 63 | 200 | do | | 68¾ |
| 5,000 North Car. 6s | 65 | 100 | Erie R. Pref. | | 82 |
| 2,000 Mo. State 6s | 67 | 100 | do | | 83¾ |
| 2,500 Mo. 6s, issued to Pacific R. | 71 | 1500 | Hud. Riv. R. | | 106 |
| 30,000 O. & M. Cer. | 26⅜ | 100 | do | | 105¾ |
| 50,000 do | 26¾ | 100 | do | s30 | 104¾ |
| 80,000 do | 27 | 200 | do | s60 | 103¾ |
| 1,000 N Y. Cen. 6s, '83 New-Loan | 98¾ | 1000 | Reading R. | | 106¾ |
| 500 do | 98 | 600 | do | | 106¾ |
| 5,000 Erie 3d M. | 100 | 500 | do | b30 | 107 |
| 4,000 Erie 4th M. | 83 | 2500 | do | | 106 |
| 5,000 C., B. & Q. 1 M. | 114 | 30 | do | | 108 |
| 1,000 C. & W. 1 M. | 87 | 100 | Mich. Cen. R. | | 108 |
| 2,000 Mich. Cen. 8's, New-Loan | 111 | 500 | do | | 109 |
| 5,000 T. & W. 1st M. Ex. | 93 | 700 | Mich. S. & N. I. | | 63¾ |
| 1,000 Gal. & C. 1st Ex. | 99¾ | 100 | do | b15 | 63¾ |
| 6,000 Cl. & To. S. F. Bs. | 100 | 100 | do | s10 | 63¾ |
| 1,000 P., Ft. W. & C. 1st | 101¾ | 300 | do | | 109¾ |
| 3,000 Ch. & Al. 1st M. | 98 | 100 | do | s15 | 109¾ |
| 5,000 Am. Gold | b30 | 148 | 500 | do | | 110 |
| 6,500 do | | 145¾ | 600 | Cl. & Pitts. R. | | 73¾ |
| 200 Fourth Nat. Bank | 91 | 1000 | do | | 73¾ |
| 50 Canton Co. | 34 | 1500 | do | | 74 |
| 200 do | s3 | 35¾ | 500 | do | s30 | 74 |
| 6 Del. & H. C. Co. | 156 | 300 | do | s15 | 73¾ |
| 200 Cumb. Coal Pr. | 52 | 150 | C. & N. W. R. | | 31¾ |
| 500 do | s10 | 51⅜ | 1000 | do | | 31¾ |
| 900 do | 51 | 400 | do | | 32 |
| 200 do | b30 | 52 | 20 | C. & N. W. Pr. | | 62 |
| 500 Quick Min. Co. | 68 | 500 | do | | 62¾ |
| 200 do | s10 | 68¾ | 400 | do | | 62¾ |
| 100 do | s15 | 68 | 800 | do | | 61¾ |
| 100 Wyoming V. Coal | 49½ | 100 | Chi. & R. I. | | 96¾ |
| 700 do | 50 | 25 | do | | 96 |
| 50 Mar. Min. Co. | 17 | 200 | do | | 96¾ |
| 600 do | s30 | 16 | 400 | Pitts., F. W. & C. | | 93 |
| 100 do | 16¾ | 200 | do | | 93¾ |
| 100 Chic., B. & Q. R. | 117¾ | 200 | do | | 93¾ |
| 100 Chi. & Alt. R. | 88 | | | | |

SECOND BOARD.

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| $11,000 U.S. 6s, '81..C. | 108¾ | 100 | Hudson R. R. | | 107¼ |
| 11,000 U. S. 6s, 5-20s..C. | 108¾ | 1200 | do | | 107¾ |
| 15,0 do | 108¾ | 100 | do | | 107¾ |
| 40,000 U.S.5s,10-40s..C. | 93⅜ | 200 | do | | 107 |
| 5,000 Missouri 6s | 88 | 100 | do | s15 | 106¾ |
| 4,000 Tenn. 6s, '90 | 64 | 800 | M. S. & N. I. R. | | 63 |
| 20,000 O. & M. Cer. | 27 | 200 | do | | 63¾ |
| 20,000 do | 26¾ | 250 | do | | 63¾ |
| 20,000 do | 26⅜ | 100 | Alt. & Terre H. | | 36 |
| 100 Canton Co. | 33 | 100 | Ill. Cen. R. | b10 | 109 |
| 100 Cum Coal Pr. | 45 | 100 | do | | 108¾ |
| 500 do | 44¾ | 200 | do | | 108¾ |
| 400 Quick. Min. Co. | 67 | 300 | do | s10 | 107¾ |
| 250 Mar. Min. Co. | 18 | 200 | Clev. & Pitts. | | 73 |
| 1500 Reading R. | 106 | 200 | do | | 72¾ |
| 800 do | 106¾ | 500 | do | | 72 |
| 200 do | 106¾ | 200 | Chi. & N. W. | | 31 |
| 300 N. Y. Cen. R. | 100¾ | 100 | do | | 31¾ |
| 400 do | 100¼ | 600 | Chic. & N. W. Pr. | | 60¾ |
| 200 do | 100 | 100 | do | b10 | 60¾ |
| 50 do | 100¼ | 500 | Chic. & R. I. | | 96¾ |
| 100 do | b10 | 100¾ | 600 | do | | 96¾ |
| 1000 Erie Railway | 67⅜ | 100 | do | b10 | 97 |
| 600 do | s30 | 68 | 150 | Chi., Bur. & Q. | | 113 |
| 400 do | 67 | 100 | Mil. & P. du C. R. | | 39 |
| 1000 do | 67¼ | 100 | Pitts. Ft. W. & C. | | 92½ |
| 200 do | s5 | 67 | 200 | do | | 92 |
| 150 Erie R. Pref. | 82 | 600 | do | | 91¾ |
| 100 Mich. Cen. R. | 108¾ | | | | |

OPEN BOARD—3½ P. M.

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| $5,000 Ohio & Miss. | C. | 92 | 600 | Chic. & R. I. | s d | 97¾ |
| 100 N. Y. Cen. | s3 | 101¾ | 100 | do | s10 | 97½ |
| 400 do | s3 | 101¾ | 200 | do | | 97¾ |
| 100 do | s3 | 101⅞ | 100 | do | | 97¾ |
| 200 Erie Railway | | 67⅜ | 100 | do | s3 | 97¾ |
| 200 do | s3 | 67¾ | 200 | do | | 97¾ |
| 100 do | | 67 | 100 | P., Ft. W. & C. | s d | 92¾ |
| 1500 do | | 66⅞ | 500 | do | | 92¾ |
| 200 do | s3 | 66⅞ | 100 | Cum. Coal | | 44 |
| 400 do | | 66¾ | 100 | do | | 44¾ |
| 200 do | b3 | 66⅞ | 600 | do | | 44¾ |
| 100 Hudson R. R. | b3 | 106⅜ | 200 | do | b3 | 44¾ |
| 200 do | | 106¾ | 100 | do | | 44¾ |
| 900 Reading R. | | 105⅝ | 200 | do | s3 | 44¾ |
| 300 M. S. & N. I. | | 63¾ | 100 | do | b10 | 44¾ |
| 500 do | | 63¾ | 200 | do | b3 | 44¾ |
| 200 Ill. Cen. R. | | 108 | 100 | Quick. Min. Co. | | 68 |
| 1200 Clev. & Pitts. | s3 | 73¾ | 100 | do | | 68¾ |
| 300 do | b3 | 73¾ | 400 | Mariposa Min. | | 16¾ |
| 700 Chi. & N. W. | | 31¾ | 100 | do | s3 | 16¾ |
| 100 Chi. & N. W. Pr. | | 61¾ | 400 | do | | 16¾ |
| 200 do | | 61¾ | | | | |

EVENING EXCHANGE.

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| $35,000 Amer. Gold | | 146¾ | 100 | Ill. Cen. R. | s2 | 108¾ |
| 14,000 U. S. 5-20s, Old Issue | | 107¾ | 700 | Reading R. | | 105⅞ |
| 5,000 U.S.5s,10-40s..C. | | 93 | 300 | do | | 105¾ |
| 100 C. & Miss. C. | b5 | 28 | 1100 | do | | 105 |
| 1000 N. Y. Cen. | s3 | 100¾ | 800 | do | | 104⅞ |
| 600 do | | 100⅜ | 300 | do | | 104¾ |
| 200 do | s3 | 100⅜ | 600 | Clev. & Pitts. | | 74 |
| 200 do | s3 | 100⅜ | 300 | do | | 73¾ |
| 700 do | | 100¾ | 100 | Chi. & R. I. | | 97¾ |
| 1400 Erie Railway | s3 | 68 | 300 | do | | 97 |
| 700 do | | 68 | 100 | Chi. & N. W. | | 31¾ |
| 200 do | | 68¼ | 200 | C. & N. W. Pr. | | 61 |
| 1000 do | s3 | 68⅜ | 100 | do | | 60¾ |
| 400 do | | 68¾ | 600 | do | | 60¾ |
| 200 do | s3 | 68⅞ | 100 | P., Ft. W. & C. | | 92¾ |
| 100 Hudson R. R. | | 106⅜ | 200 | Cum. Coal Co. | | 43¾ |
| 400 do | | 106¾ | 200 | do | | 43¾ |
| 100 do | | 106¾ | 100 | do | | 43¾ |
| 600 Reading R. | | 105⅝ | 100 | Quick. Min. Co. | | 68 |

Stock market active and irregular. Gold steady; but few sales after call; closed at close of report, 145¾.

WEDNESDAY, April 12—P. M.

The price of Gold is one per cent. lower than yesterday. The sales in the Gold Room ranged through the forenoon 146@145 ⅞ cent. Bills on London are 108½@109 ⅞ cent. for Gold. The speculation in the Gold Room is greatly abated, and a good many of the recent operators, while the fluctuations were 3@5@7 ⅞ cent. a day, have turned their attention to the Railway movement on the Stock Exchange. It is difficult at present to get up any excitement in the Gold Room, either on Military, Political, or Foreign news.

There is more sensation, from hour to hour, on the fluctuations at the Stock Board. There is a large business doing on the New-York and Western Roads. In the forenoon prices were generally steady at the Board, and 1@2 ⅞ cent. higher on New-York Central, and ¼@1 ⅞ cent. on other descriptions, after the Board broke up. But in the afternoon at the Second Board the turn was downward, and there was quite a pressure to make sales at a concession of 1@2 ⅞ cent. from the best rates of the morning.

In Government Stocks the business at the Exchange was not large, and the demand on Wall-street not very heavy, but prices were firm at yesterday's advance at the First Board, and only very slightly off at the Second. The bug-bear of a return of 5-20's from Europe was received on the arrival of the Bremen steamer this afternoon, but it is not believed among the Bankers in the English and Continental trade or the Street, or in any sense feared by the Government Banker and his New-York correspondents, that this process, if resorted to at all, will amount altogether to one day's ordinary operations in Governments in this market before the current decidedly changes again from New-York to Europe. Whether it shall amount to one, two, five or ten millions, the Stock will be welcomed home again at anything near present prices. And there is especial pleasure felt by our people that the Dutch and German buyers of 5-20s through the Nation's financial trials of 1864 are now reaping the rich reward of their confidence. Many of them will double their money in a single year, and find buyers for their bonds at this large advance much nearer home than New-York. We look to see by far the most important rise in the English market after the news of the explosion of the Rebellion—which has already been dispatched from this side.

At 4 o'clock the following quotations were made, as compared with the same hour on Tuesday. There is a rise to-day in nearly all the Border State Stocks; Tennessees advanced 4 ⅞ cent. on Gov. BROWNLOW'S message.

| | Tues. | Wed. | | Tues. | Wed. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| U. S. 10-40s | 93¼ | 93¼ | Pittsburgh | 71¾ | 72½ |
| U. S. 5-20's | 103¾ | 103¾ | Northwest | 31¾ | 31¾ |
| U. S. Certificates | 99⅛ | 99⅛ | N. West Pref. | 61¼ | 61 |
| N. Y. Central | 100 | 101¾ | Rock Island | 96¾ | 97¼ |
| Erie | 69½ | 68¾ | Fort Wayne | 93⅜ | 92 |
| Hudson | 105 | 105¾ | Cumberland Coal | 50 | 45 |
| Reading | 106¾ | 106¾ | Quicksilver | 67¼ | 67 |
| Mich. Southern | 63 | 63¾ | Mariposa | 16¾ | 16 |
| Illinois Cen | 108¾ | 108¾ | Ohio & M. Certs | 27¼ | 26¾ |

The Subscriptions to the Popular 7-30 Loan at the First National Bank, to-day, amount to $300,000.

The following bids were made to-day for the City Bank Shares:

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|---|---|---|---|
| Commonwealth | 100 | America | 130 |
| Importers' & Traders' | 100 | Butch'rs' & Drov'rs' | 120 |
| Park | 130 | Commerce | 101 |
| Central National | 100 | Mechanics' Bkg. Ass. | 98 |
| Fourth National | 91 | Broadway | 200 |
| Metropolitan | 119 | Amer. Exchange | 112¾ |
| Corn Exchange | 101¼ | Hanover | 97 |
| St. Nicholas | 95 | | |

And the following for the Railway Mortgages:

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| N. Y. Cen. 6s, '83 | 99 | Chi. & N. W. 1st mort. | 87 |
| N. Y. Cen. 7s, '76 | 105 | Han. & St. Jo. L. G. | 90 |
| N. Y. Cen. 7s, con. '76 | 105 | Del. L. & W. 1st mort. | 103 |
| Erie 1st mort. '58 | 100 | Del. L. & W. 2d mort. | 104 |
| Erie 7s, 2d mort., '79 | 100 | Tol. & Wab. 1st m. | 92¾ |
| Erie 7s, 3d mort., '83 | 100 | Tol. & Wab. 1st mort ex | 92¾ |
| Erie 7s, 4th mort., '80 | 92 | Tol. & W. Int. bonds | 95 |
| N. Y. & E. 1st M. '77 | 97 | Mil. & P. du C. 1st m. | 100 |
| Hud. R. 7s, 1st M., '60 | 102 | Gal. & Chi. 2d m. | 95 |
| Hud. R. 7s, 2d M. S. F. '85 | 103 | Clev. & Tol. S. F. | 100 |
| Hud. R. 7s, bonds '67 | 95¾ | New-Jersey C. 1st m. | 98 |
| Har. 1st m., '69-'72 | 101 | Pitts., F. W. & C. 1st m. | 101¼ |
| Mich. C. 8 pCt., '69-'72 | 105 | Pitts., F. W. & C. 2d m. | 94 |
| M. C. New 1st 8 pCt '81 | 111 | Pitts., Ft. W. & C. 3d m. | 82 |
| Chi. B. & Q. 8 pCt. 1st | 114 | Clev. & Pitts. 3ds conv. | 90 |
| Mich. S. 7 ⅞ p. c. 2d m. | 90 | Clev. & Pitts. 4ths conv | 75 |
| M. S. & N. I. S. F. 7 ⅞ c. | 100 | Miss. & Mo. L. G. 1st m | 36 |
| Ill. Cent. 7 ⅞ c., '75 | 108 | Chi. & Alton. S. F. | 98 |
| Alton & T. H. 2d m. pf. | 76½ | Chi. & Alton 1st m. | 97 |
| Alton & T. H. 2d m. in. | 72 | Chi. & Alton inc. | 93 |
| Chi. & N. W. S. F. | 85 | Alt. & Gt. West. 1st m. | 80 |
| Chi. & N. W. int. bonds | 80 | Peninsula R. R. bonds | 70 |

The Annual Report of the Illinois Central Company for 1864, shows a gross traffic on Road.....$6,329,447
Expenses and State tax.....3,866,253

Net Income from Road.....$2,463,194
Income from Lands.....1,021,589
Interest Account at New-York.....62,603

Profits of year.....$3,547,386
Interest on Debt.....$1,118,745
Nine per cent. on Stock.....1,665,630—2,784,375

Balance to Surplus Fund.....$762,811

### A dispatch from Washington reports:

The late JOHN C. RIVES had invested one hundred thousand dollars in English consols. The Orphan's Court in this city orders them sold in London, the proceeds to be invested in United States bonds:

The fact here stated is not pleasant to the friends of the late editor of the *Congressional Globe*. He was esteemed, while living, a true man to the Government, from whose munificent patronage he derived his large fortune. But like a good many other rich men under the protection of the national flag, he seems to have sent his money out of the country, when its employment on Government Stocks would have been most serviceable in the prosecution of our trying War against treason and rebellion. We have such rich men in New-York. It is even intimated that the very largest of our Real property-holders sent his Money to Europe, at a higher rate of Exchange, last year, to be drawn back at a low rate, after his craven apprehension of the power of this Great Government to suppress the rebellion, is put at rest by the victories of GRANT and SHERMAN, whose soldiers have been supported by the contributions of less wealthy but more liberal and confiding citizens than himself and others like him. We refer to this particular instance in no invidious spirit, but as a type of some score or two of millionaires and half millionaires, who have shown the white feather by secreting their money abroad, and are yet ambitious of figuring as public-spirited citizens at home. The Kentucky Bankers and their advisers and correspondents in this city have played the same unworthy part; but under such counsels nothing better could have been expected, even if these Bankers themselves had felt right toward the Government in the crisis of our struggle, which we dare say they did not. Possibly they may experience as anxious a time in getting their money securely out of English hands as they had in transferring it to them.

The day's business at the Office of the Assistant Treasurer was as follows: Total receipts, $4,299,920 08; including for Customs, $195,000; total payments, $4,289,187 98; on account of Loan, $293,000; balance, $33,122,709 23.

The earnings of the New-York and Erie Railway for the month of March, 1865, notwithstanding the total interruption of business on the main line for seven days during the month, caused by the unprecedented floods, were.....$1,300,022 77
Earnings, March, 1864.....1,114,905 17
Increase.....$185,117 60

The subscriptions and sales of the 7-30 Loan at the Ninth National Bank this day amounted to $230,000.

## BANKING AND FINANCIAL.

H. J. MESSENGER,
BANKER,
No. 120 Broadway.
7-30 LOAN AGENCY.

Four Per Cent. Interest allowed on Deposits, subject to check at sight.

☞ HENRY CLEWS & CO.,
Successors to
LIVERMORE, CLEWS & CO.,
BANKERS,
NO. 32 WALL-ST., NEW-YORK,
GOVERNMENT AGENCY
FOR THE SALE OF THE
U. S. "7-30 LOAN."

Commission allowed Bankers, Brokers, Insurance Companies and all parties purchasing for resale.
All denominations on hand ready for immediate delivery.
All kinds of United States securities bought and sold.

## GENERAL MARKETS.

New-York, Wednesday, April 12, 1865.

Receipts of Produce since our last, 45 pkgs Ashes, 7,934 bbls. Flour, 1,109 bbls. and 941 bags Corn Meal, 2,235 bushels Corn, 458 bushels Barley, 1,648 bushels Oats, 750 bushels Malt, 1,808 pkgs. Provisions, and 161 bbls Whisky.

ASHES—Continue quiet at nominal prices: $8 for Pots, and $9@$9 25 for Pearls, ⅞ 100 lbs.

COFFEE—Has been in fair demand, at our revised quotations. Gold prices for Java, 22c.@23½c.; Rio, 18¾c.@20½c.; Laguayra and Maracaibo, 18¾c.@20½c.; and St. Domingo, 18c., ⅞ lb.

COTTON—Has been quiet to-day at former prices. Middlings, 30c.@35c. ⅞ lb. Week's receipts, 10,250 bales; sales and resales (exclusive of those at auction) 3,900 bales; exports, 1,382 bales.

FLOUR AND MEAL—State and Western Flour has been quiet to-day, though prices have again declined 10c.@15c. ⅞ bbl. Sales, since our last, amount to 6,250 bbls., including very inferior to choice Superfine State and Western, at $7@$7 65; poor to choice Extra State at $7 70@$8 25 chiefly, at $7 80@$8; round-hoop Extra Ohio, inferior to good shipping brands, at $8 30@$8 85 ⅞ bbl.

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| Superfine State and Western | $7 00 | @$7 45 |
| Extra State | 7 75 | @ 8 25 |
| Extra Illinois, Indiana, Michigan, &c. | 7 85 | @10 00 |
| Extra Ohio, round-hoop, shipping brands | 8 30 | @10 55 |
| Extra Ohio, trade and family brands | 8 60 | @10 25 |
| Extra Genesee | 8 20 | @10 00 |
| Poor to choice Extra Missouri | 8 10 | @11 75 |

Southern Flour is inactive, at about former prices. Sales, since our last, 290 bbls., at $9@$10 for poor to good, and $10@$12 for good to choice extra brands, ⅞ bbl. Canadian Flour continues heavy and drooping. Sales 375 bbls. Extra, at $8@$10 50 ⅞ bbl. Rye Flour is dull, including fine and superfine at $5 50@$6 75 ⅞ bbl. Corn Meal is in limited demand, at $5 50@$5 60 for Jersey, $6 25 for Western, and $6 50 for Brandywine, ⅞ bbl. Sales 250 bbls.

GRAIN—Wheat has been dull and heavy; sales, 21,000 bushels, including Chicago Spring at $1 50; and Amber Kentucky at $1 80 ⅞ bushel. Rye has been neglected and nominal at $1@$1 10 ⅞ bushel. Barley has been depressed; sales, 5,000 bushels Aldine at $1 30 ⅞ bushel. Corn is less active at lower prices. Sales since our last have been made of 11,000 bushels, at $1 35@$1 40 for New Yellow, and $1 30@$1 35 for new and old mixed Western, ⅞ bushel. Oats continue in moderate demand, including Western at 89c.@90c.; Jersey and Pennsylvania at 82c.@86c.; and Canada at 80c.@81c. ⅞ bushel.

HAY—Continues in moderate demand, at from $1 50@$1 65 for shipping and trade lots ⅞ 100 lbs.

HOPS—Have been lightly dealt in, at from 10c.@35c. for poor to prime, and 38c.@40c. for very choice, ⅞ lb.

LIME—Rockland has been inactive at $1 60 for Common and $1 90 for Lump, ⅞ bbl.

METALS—Have been quiet, but held firmly, at about former quotations.

MOLASSES—A limited business was transacted in Porto Rico at 65c.@70c. ⅞ gallon.

PETROLEUM—Has been in request at 35c.@38c. for Crude; 51c.@52c. for Refined, in bond, and 71c.@71½c. for do. free, ⅞ gallon.

PROVISIONS—Pork has been in fair demand, and rather dearer. Sales have been made since our last, of 4,200 bbls., in lots, at $27 12½@$27 50, closing at $27 37½ for New Mess; $24 50@$25 for 1863-4 Mess; $26 25@26 62½ for Prime Mess; $28 50 for Thin Mess, and $24 50@$25, chiefly at $24 50@$24 75, for New Prime Mess ⅞ bbl.; sales were also reported of 1,750 bbls. New Mess, in lots, for April and May deliveries, seller's option, at $27@27 25 ⅞ bbl. Cut Meats are in more demand, at 14½c.@15c. for Shoulders, and 16c.@17c. for Hams; sales equal 850 pkgs.; also 100,000 lbs. Shoulders, for June delivery, seller's option, at 14½c. ⅞ lb. Bacon is in good request; sales 1,450 boxes, including Cumberland Cut, at 15c.@15¼c.; Long Rib at 15¼c.@15½c.; Short Rib at 16c.@16¼c. ⅞ lb. Lard is in fair request and steady. Sales 2,100 tcs. and bbls., at 15¼c.@16c. ⅞ lb. Beef is in demand, at $16@$20 for Extra Mess; $12@$16 50 for Plain Mess; sales 370 bbls. Tierce Beef is unchanged. Beef Hams continue quiet and heavy; 2,100 pkgs. were sold at $20@$22 50 ⅞ bbl. Butter has been in fair demand at 20c.@35c. for poor to choice State, and 13c.@20c. for Western. Cheese is in request, at 14c.@22c. for poor to choice, ⅞ lb.

SUGARS—Have been in limited request to-day, at former prices. Sales since our last comprise 510 hhds. Cuba, &c., at 11c.@15¼c. ⅞ lb. Refined Sugars are inquired for at 13½c.@18½c. ⅞ lb.

STEARINE—Sales have been reported since our last of 38,000 lbs., at 16c.@17c., chiefly at 17c., ⅞ lb.

TALLOW—Sales, to-day, 67,